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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT

DATE: May 6, 1959

FROM : MR. J. F. BLAND

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA)
PROPOSED HEARINGS, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA,
JUNE, 1959, REGARDING COMMUNIST INFILTRATION
IN TEACHING PROFESSION

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Los Angeles Office airtel 3-9-59 advised of proposed hearings by the House Committee on Un-American Activities in Los Angeles during May, 1959, (later rescheduled for June, 1959) regarding present and past Communist Party members currently employed as school teachers throughout California.

Bureau airtel 3-13-59 instructed Los Angeles, San Francisco, and San Diego Offices to bring security cases involving teachers up to date and submit a blind memorandum containing public source information only on each subject if available. San Diego Office advised no security subjects currently employed as teachers. San Francisco and Los Angeles Offices submitted blind memoranda regarding those subjects concerning whom public source data was located who are currently employed as teachers in California.

OBSERVATION:

The incalculable evil that these apologists for the communist philosophy are creating on the minds of unsuspecting youth cannot be measured. The exposure of these subjects by their appearance before HCUA and the attendant publicity could result in their removal from the school system in California.

RECOMMENDATION:

The enclosed blind memoranda containing public source information only regarding 71 teachers be referred to Mr. DeLoach for his consideration in this matter.

Enclosures - 71

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Bland
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Higgins
- 1 - Mr. Gregg
- 1 - Mr. Jackson

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TO : MR. MC GUIRE

FROM : L. E. SHORT

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Bulky Exhibit File Number: 61-7582-143

We are in the process of reviewing all bulky exhibits in order that we may dispose of those which serve no further purpose. Inasmuch as many of the bulky exhibits pertain to inactive cases and are occupying badly needed space, it is requested that the appropriate substantive supervisor review the above-listed bulky exhibit and render a decision as to its retention or disposition. A notation as to the decision reached may be placed on this memorandum. The memorandum should be returned to the Filing Unit of the Records Branch, Room 1113, Identification Building, for filing in the case file.

RECOMMENDATION:

That captioned bulky exhibit be reviewed and a decision rendered as to the retention or disposition of the material.

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ADDENDUM: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

May 18, 1959

This bulky exhibit consists of one negative Photostat and six positive Photostats of a brief prepared by Dies Committee investigators dealing with the aims, objectives and tactics of the Communist Party. The brief was prepared in 1939.

OBSERVATIONS:

There is no apparent reason why seven copies of this brief should be retained in Bufiles where they occupy valuable space.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that all but one positive Photostat of this brief be destroyed. One positive Photostat should be retained for possible future reference.

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Office Memorandum UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *ash*

DATE: May 1, 1959

FROM : Mr. J. F. Bland *JFB*

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES

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In a memorandum dated 4/24/59 Mr. DeLoach advised that Dick Arens of House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA) asked if the Bureau would be able to give any help on any data which would place Lenore Thomas Straus, Robert Ware Straus, and Michael W. Straus in the Communist Party (CP).

LENORE THOMAS STRAUS

100-390848

Lenore Thomas Straus, wife of Robert Ware Straus, was the subject of a security-type investigation in 1952. She was identified as a member of the CP from 1935 to 1941 at Washington, D. C. On 2/19/53 she was interviewed by Bureau Agents. She admitted joining the CP in 1935 while employed by the U.S. Government. She advised at the time of interview that she was still a Marxist in her social thinking but began drifting away from the CP in 1941 and no longer considers herself a CP member. She felt that the U.S.S.R. abandoned communism as she knew it.

The following individuals were interviewed in 1952 and furnished information concerning CP membership of Lenore Thomas Straus:

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] was the wife of [REDACTED] from 1935 to 1943. They were divorced in 1943. She was described as a former member of the CP. Her identity was covered by T symbol and her reliability was described as unknown. In 2/49 she was interviewed in New York (no address shown) and advised that Lenore Thomas was recruited into the CP in 1934.

2. Ralph DeSola101-3408 *aw*

Ralph DeSola was CP member in New York area, 1935-1937. In 1950 he testified before Senate Armed Services Committee that Anna M. Rosenberg, then Assistant Secretary of Defense, was a CP member. Investigation disclosed that DeSola was mistaken and this matter was widely publicized. DeSola was last known to be in San Diego in 1955. He advised on 3/29/54 that he testified before the Dies Committee about 1938-1939. In 1949 he furnished information regarding Lenore Thomas Straus visiting CP headquarters in 1936.

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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
 - 1 - Mr. Belmont
 - 1 - Mr. Bland
 - 1 - Mr. Higgins

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Memorandum for Mr. Belmont
Re: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES

3. [redacted]

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[redacted] was a CP member from 1934 to 1940. He served in the Minneapolis Office as a confidential source from 1948 to 1955. In 5/52 he advised that his CP membership was transferred from New York to Washington, D. C., in the Spring of 1936. In Washington, D. C., he belonged to Lenore Straus' CP unit. [redacted] described Straus as a "Lesbian." In 6/50 [redacted] advised that in 1933 he had [redacted] and spent six months at [redacted]. As a result of [redacted], he was not sure whether he was actually a member of the CP prior to 1934. Information furnished to the Bureau by [redacted] was furnished in confidence and his identity was protected by T symbol. His address in 7/50 was [redacted]

4. [redacted]

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[redacted] is married to a rancher in the State of Washington who in the past was prominent in Democratic activities. Her address is [redacted] Washington. [redacted] with Lenore Thomas Straus in Washington, D. C., and joined CP with her in 1936. [redacted] is an admitted former member of the CP and has furnished information to the Bureau on a confidential basis. In 7/58 [redacted] agreed to talk with a representative of the Navy concerning Robert Ware Straus, a member of the Navy Reserve (inactive), provided the interview was made through the FBI. She pointed out that her telephone was a 12-party line and she was concerned about gossip which would embarrass her family.

ROBERT WARE STRAUS

Robert Ware Straus was the subject of an FBI investigation in 1941 under the character of "Special Inquiry - Advisory Commission to the Council of National Defense."

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A confidential informant who has furnished information in the past and who was a former member of the CP advised in 1948 that Straus was not an actual member of the CP in Washington, D. C. The informant added, however, that Straus for all intents and purposes is a communist as he frequently associated with persons known by the informant to be communists and he did everything in his power to further the aims and purposes of the CP and various communist front organizations.

Memorandum for Mr. Belmont
Re: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES

On 2/25/59, Louis Russell, HCUA, advised that the president of Accokeek, Maryland, Citizens Association had reported that subject was secretary of that Association and when he prepared the minutes for the last meeting he included therein a resolution to do away with HCUA. According to the president, this matter was never discussed at their meeting. Russell stated that he would request the Committee to subpoena Straus before the Committee because of this.

MICHAEL WOLF STRAUS

D.C.

Michael Wolf Straus, brother of Robert Ware Straus, was the subject of a loyalty investigation under Executive Order 9835 in 1948, at which time he was employed by the U.S. Department of Interior as "Commissioner, U. S. Bureau of Reclamation." He was also the subject of an applicant-type investigation in 1950-1951.

Information developed in these investigations indicated that Michael Wolf Straus was affiliated with various communist fronts and associated with CP members and followed the CP line. There is no information that he was a CP member. Information received from the Civil Service Commission is that he was "retained" as of 5/6/49. (121-306)

OBSERVATIONS:

Although both Robert Ware and Michael Wolf Straus have been closely associated with the CP, there is no information available to show that they were, in fact, CP members. Lenore Thomas Straus has admitted CP membership from 1935 to 1941. [redacted] in 1958 stated^{b7D} that she did not want to become involved in anything that would cause gossip and embarrass her family. She furnished information to the Bureau in confidence. Information furnished to the Bureau by [redacted] was furnished on a confidential basis. In regard to [redacted] and Ralph DeSola, there appears to be no reason why their identities cannot be furnished to HCUA. In 6/55 DeSola was employed by Convair Aircraft in San Diego, California.

It would appear from information furnished the Bureau in 2/59 that HCUA's interest in Robert Ware Straus stems from his dislike for the HCUA.

Memorandum for Mr. Belmont

Re: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES

In view of the above, it is felt that HCUA should be advised ^{b7D} that the FBI has no data which would identify Robert Ware and Michael Wolf Straus as being in the CP. The identities of and Ralph DeSola can be made available.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that this memorandum be furnished to Mr. DeLoach for his information.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-338501)
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (100-16564)
SUBJECT: [REDACTED] aka.
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OO: Chicago

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REASON-FCIM II, 1-2.4.2
DATE OF REVIEW 3/8/92

Re Chicago letter 4/23/59 and the report of SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Chicago, dated 4/30/59 entitled as above. Re also
Chicago airtel dated 5/7/59 entitled "House Committee on Un-
American Activities."

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As noted in re Chicago letter, [REDACTED] who
can be placed in the Communist Party during the 1940's and 1950's,
was one of the "unfriendly" IAI witnesses scheduled to be heard
publicly by the HCUA here in Chicago during April and May, 1959.

Chicago in its airtel of 5/7/59 pointed out that
[REDACTED] (according to the "Chicago Tribune" of 5/7/59, final
edition, page 12, column 3) in his testimony "insisted he had
never been a Communist Party member, but ARENS (of HCUA) said
the Committee had 'irrefutable' evidence that he had been"
and that Committee members had indicated that they would seek
perjury action "against one" of the IAI witnesses - apparently
referring to [REDACTED].

Review of SA [REDACTED] it should be noted, contains no
legally admissible evidence indicative of current CP membership
on the part of [REDACTED] and it would appear that the subject cannot
be described as participating in Party activity (with legally
admissible evidence) since 1957 when he was identified by [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] as being in attendance at CP conventions
held here in Chicago in January and/or March, 1957.

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Chicago has not as yet received a transcript of [redacted] testimony before the HCUA; however, it would appear that captioned subject, by denying he was ever a member of the CP, did commit perjury before a Committee of Congress and thereby violated Section 1621, Title 18, U.S. Code. Authority is requested to initiate a perjury investigation of [redacted]

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI, (61-7582)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (100-28823)

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
INFORMATION CONCERNING CHICAGO HEARINGS
SCHEDULED FOR MAY 5-7, 1959CINAL

Attached for the Bureau are the original and four copies of a letterhead memorandum relating to the captioned matter and including leaflets printed by RICHARD CRILEY in the office of the Chicago Committee to Defend Democratic Rights (CCDDR) criticizing the HCUA. (U)

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The source who furnished the first two leaflets and the information relating to their printings is [redacted] (U)

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- 1- A [redacted]
- 1- 100-31946 (CCDDR)
- 1- 100-35162 (AAHA)
- 1- 100-32207 (CINAL)
- 1- 100-18080 (RICHARD CRILEY)
- 1- 100-18104 [redacted]

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RICHARD CRILEY was characterized by _____

_____ was characterized by _____

and _____

characterized the CCDDR in the attached letterhead memorandum.

All of these informants have furnished reliable information in the past.

The letterhead memorandum has been classified ~~confidential~~ because it contains information from a highly placed informant in a sensitive position of continuing value, the disclosure of which would result in the loss of this informant of continuing value.

Consideration was given to the concealment of each source and it was done only when necessary.

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In Reply, Please Refer to
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Chicago, Illinois
May 3, 1959

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
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INFORMATION CONCERNING CHICAGO
HEARINGS SCHEDULED FOR MAY 5-7, 1959.

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On May 4, 1959, a source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished copies of two two-page leaflets with one identical page in each relating to the captioned matter and described as follows:

Item #1

This leaflet contains a banner quoted from a speech by former President HARRY S. TRUMAN at Los Angeles on April 8, 1959 as follows:

"The Un-American Activities Committee is the most un-American thing in America".

This leaflet seeks to attach a segregationist symbol to the House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA) and solicits the reader to attend the House Committee hearings May 5-7, 1959 and to "write your Congressman to support: moves in the Congress to abolish HCUA and the filibuster and to enforce the Bill of Rights in the South, establish free elections, and education against racism." It also solicits contributions to "Afro-American Heritage Association." Copies of this leaflet are attached.

Item #2

This leaflet consists of reprints of articles appearing in New York and Chicago daily newspapers quoting from former President HARRY S. TRUMAN's comments in a lecture series

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RE: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
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at Columbia University relating to the HCUA. This leaflet calls for the "People of Chicago! Attend the hearings of the Un-American Activities Committee - May 5 - 7 at the Federal Court House, Clark and Adams. See the witchhunt in action!" The leaflet also calls for the abolishment of the "Un-American Activities Committee!" and records that it is "printed as a public service by the Chicago Committee to Defend Democratic Rights, 189 West Madison Street, Suite 811, Chicago 2, Illinois." Copies of this leaflet are attached. ~~(U)~~

Each of these leaflets has one identical page entitled "Voices of Resistance Across the Nation" which lists "political leaders", "church and academic leaders", "labor", "southern leaders", "newspapers", and ELEANOR ROOSEVELT urging abolition of the HCUA. This page also quotes from the United States Supreme Court "WATKINS decision" relating to Congressional powers within the definition of "un-American". ~~(U)~~

Item #3

A second source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, on May 1, 1959 made available a four page leaflet issued by the Afro-American Heritage Association (AAHA), Chicago, Illinois. It states that it is an urgent appeal to leaders and organizations, friends and lovers of democracy. The leaflet states that the HCUA is holding hearings in Chicago on May 5-7, 1959 to attack Negro leadership. The leaflet calls for the abolition of the HCUA and states that the task of real Americanism is to re-establish democracy in the South. Copies of this leaflet are attached. ~~(U)~~

The first source advised on May 4, 1959 that these leaflets were printed in the Chicago Committee to Defend Democratic Rights (CCDDR) office, by RICHARD CRILEY and that the AAHA leaflets were to receive distribution on Chicago's South Side and the CCDDR

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leaflet was to receive a wider, sixty to seventy thousand, distribution. The source advised in addition that RICHARD CRILEY, Executive Secretary of the CCDDR, and [redacted] the CCDDR, have been subpoenaed to appear before the HCUA and will appear with RICHARD CRILEY testifying before the Committee and [redacted] pleading the Fifth Amendment. A press release to Chicago newspapers relating to this action by CRILEY and [redacted] will be made by RICHARD CRILEY on the evening of May 4, 1959. (U)

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RICHARD CRILEY was identified by a third source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, as a member of the Illinois Communist Party (CP) State Committee on March 7, 1959. (U)

[redacted] was identified as a member of the Illinois CP Professional Section on March 5, 1959 by a fourth source, who has furnished reliable information in the past. (U)

A characterization of the CCDDR is attached. (U)

The CP has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order #10450. (U)

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CHICAGO COMMITTEE TO DEFEND DEMOCRATIC RIGHTS,
formerly known as the Chicago Joint Defense
Committee to Defeat the Smith Act

A source advised on April 15, 1958, that the Chicago Joint Defense Committee to Defeat the Smith Act (CJDC) was formed by the Communist Party in March, 1956.

A second source advised on July 17, 1958, that at a working conference of the CJDC held on June 8, 1958, at Chicago, the name of the CJDC was changed to the Chicago Committee to Defend Democratic Rights (CCDDR). The purpose of the CCDDR, according to its "Statement of Principles and Organization", is to "...defend and extend the human rights embodied in the Bill of Rights....and to put an end to the political and racial persecutions which threaten American democracy today." Officers of the CCDDR elected at this conference were [redacted] and a "paid Executive Secretary", RICHARD CRILEY, both of whom were officers of the CJDC. As of early July, 1958, this organization continued to function within the framework of its stated principles.

[redacted] was identified by a third source as a member of the Communist Party in May, 1958.

RICHARD CRILEY, according to a fourth source, as of July 17, 1958, was a member of the Illinois Communist Party State Committee.

The Communist Party - USA has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order #10450.

This document contains information that is exempt from disclosure under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act and is being furnished to you for your information only. It is not to be distributed outside the agency to which it is furnished.

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ENCLOSURE

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HONEST AND FEARLESS NEGRO LEADERSHIP IS

The House Un-American Activities Committee is here to attack Negro leadership. This Committee is holding hearings on May 5, 6, and 7 at the U.S. Court House at Jackson and Dearborn.

They are attacking some of the most able Negroes developed in the labor movement in America -- leaders of the United Packinghouse Workers.

These Negro leaders are not gangsters and racketeers. They have fought the good fight for Negro rights. They have built one of the finest community-center-like union halls in America, for us to see, at 49th and Wabash. All of the unions are rank and file controlled, with more democracy found in their unions than anywhere in America.

Now come the Over-lords of reaction attacking the packinghouse workers in the name of fighting "Communism". They come at a time when the packinghouse workers are preparing for a new contract with the meat packers covering wages, hours and working conditions.

They come obviously to disrupt the struggles of the workers for better conditions of work. They come hoping to destroy a great fountainhead for freedom and democratic rights located at 49th and Wabash. Like thieves crying "stop thief", the Over-lords, subversives themselves, come crying "Communism" in order to destroy honest and fearless Negro leadership.

The Afro-American Heritage Association through its Research Department has gathered certain facts which we make available below so that all community leaders can have a clear picture with which to act in the interest of civil rights and in the protection and defense of honest and courageous Negro leadership.

- 1 The Un-American Activities Committee came into being under the lead of Congressman Martin Dies of Texas, land of Jim Crow and discrimination.
- 2 "The Un-American Activities Committee is the most Un-American thing in America". (from speech of former President Harry S. Truman, in Los Angeles, Calif. on April 8, 1959.)
- 3 "What is important, and what should be gratifying to every right-thinking American, is the upward progress of the packinghouse workers and their unions; their contribution to a better life for an important sector of the Chicago population; and for their devotion and record of service to democracy's cause." (Cook County Industrial Union Council, April 23, 1959.)

UNDER ATTACK BY "OVER-LORDS OF REACTION"

4 "We urge that the standing committee on Un-American Activities of the House of Representatives be abolished." (part of a petition sent to 16 Chicago area Congressmen by 61 prominent Chicago citizens, who include: Dr. John A. Lapp, chairman emeritus, American Civil Liberties Union; Dr. John B. Thompson, former Dean of Rockefeller Chapel, University of Chicago; Prof. Harold C. Urey, scientist and Nobel Prize Winner; Rabbi Jacob J. Weinstein; Attorney Earl B. Dickerson, President, Supreme Liberty Life Insurance.

5 "We are alarmed at the prospect of this Committee coming South... to attach the 'subversive' label to any liberal white Southerner who dares to raise his voice in support of our democratic ideals...

"We therefore urge you to use your influence to see that the House Committee on Un-American Activities stays out of the South -- unless it can be persuaded to come to our region to help defend us against those subversives who oppose our Supreme Court, our Federal policy of civil rights for all, and our American ideal of equality and brotherhood...

(Part of an open letter to the House of Representatives, signed by 250 Southern Negro leaders, including: - Rev. F.E. Shuttleworth and Dr. C.G. Gomillion, Alabama; L.C. Bates and Rev. T.O. McJunkins, Arkansas; Rev. J.E. Atkins and Rev. David H. Brooks, Pres. Tallahassee Branch, NAACP, Florida; C.A. Scott, editor and A.M.E. Bishop S.L. Greene, Georgia; Rev. Dan J. Hughlett and Dr. N.M.D. Perdue, Kentucky; Dr. Robert Gill and A.M.E. Bishop Edgar A. Love, Maryland; Atty. James A. Burns and Father John La Bauve, Mississippi; Dr. Wm. R. Strassner, President, Shaw Uni. and Bishop Frank Madison Reid, North Carolina; T.D. Moon, Ex. Sec'y, Oklahoma Ass'n of Teachers and Dr. M.B. Moore, M.D., Oklahoma; Dr. W.H. Faulkner, Prof. of Medicine, Meharry and Dr. Herman H. Long, Fisk U., Tennessee; W.E. Hogan, Area Sec'y Dallas YMCA and Carter Wesley, Texas; Rev. W.L. Ransome and Att'y Wm. Hale Thompson, Virginia; Dr. E. Franklin Frazier, Geo. B. Murphy, Jr., and Dr. Herbert H. Marshall, past Pres., National Medical Ass'n.)

MASS MEETING

MONDAY, MAY 4 --7.30 pm

Packinghouse Workers Center

Mother of Miss. lynch victim, Parker; brother-in-law and att'y will be present.

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"... TO ESTABLISH TRUTH, ON WHICH RIGHT IN THE FUTURE MAY BE BUILT."

W. E. B. DuBois, BLACK RECONSTRUCTION

AFRO-AMERICAN HERITAGE ASSOCIATION

102 EAST 35TH STREET SUITE 111 CHICAGO, ILL. 60641-2159
CHICAGO 16, ILLINOIS

AN URGENT APPEAL TO LEADERS AND ORGANIZATIONS

FRIENDS AND LOVERS OF DEMOCRACY:

Recent news reports indicate that certain leaders of labor, and of the United Packinghouse Workers in Particular, have been subpoenaed to appear before the House Un-American Activities Committee.

The Afro-American Heritage Association through its Research Department and its Public Policy Committee herewith presents some facts and background to help clarify what is at stake in the House Un-American Activities Committee hearing here, and some of the main issues.

We feel that if you will give an honest appraisal of this material, you will want to come to the aid of fellow citizens and Negroes who are being harassed and attacked by this Committee. Can we seriously doubt that one objective of the House Un-American Activities Committee is to weaken the entire freedom movement by attempting to destroy an important segment of its leadership?

We ask to hear from you. Moreover, you can help by coming to the Federal Court House at Jackson and Dearborn on May 5th, 6th and 7th, where the Un-American Activities Committee will hold session.

Sincerely yours,

Ishmael P. Flory
Ishmael P. Flory,
Chairman, Organization Committee

THESE THINGS ARE SUBVERTING DEMOCRACY

- The Southern minority dominating the U.S. Congress through 80 years of subversion of the U.S. Constitution, and a reign of terror, worse than in Nazi Germany, against the Negro people.
- Only 4 Negroes in the U.S. Congress, out of over 500 members, while Negroes make up over 10% of the U.S. population.
- White Citizens Councils subverting the decisions of the U.S. Supreme Court.
- Preston J. Moore, American Legion Commander, campaigning to reverse Supreme Court decisions upholding individual freedoms guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. The Daughters of the American Revolution, the American Bar Association and other groups undertaking similar moves.
- Rosalie Ingram, a Negro mother, still in jail in Georgia for defending herself against rape and protecting her children.
- Asbury Howard still on the chain gang in Bessemer, Alabama, for trying to put up a sign urging Negroes to register and vote.
- Mack Charles Parker, kidnapped and lynched in Poplarville, Miss. Friday night -- the 4,734th Negro lynched since Reconstruction Democracy was betrayed in the South and Negroes were driven from local and national office.
- Emmett Till kidnapped and lynched at Greenwood, Miss. --and the known lynchers go scot free.
- Because of job discrimination throughout the U.S., Negroes suffering 2 to 3 times the proportion of unemployment as whites.
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"O Lord, How Long"

Despite opposition by these leaders in American life, the Un-American Activities Committee has continued its un-Constitutional, dirty work!

CHICAGO HEARINGS NEGRO LEADERS SUMMONED

The Committee has set hearings in Chicago for May 5-7. Trade Union leaders and members from the United Packinghouse Workers and the International Association of Machinists have been called to appear. Seven out of 11 workers called from Packinghouse are Negroes, including 2 Negro women.

FRONT FOR DIXIECRATS

The Committee held hearings in Atlanta against Southern white integration leaders. Dixiecrats Willis of Louisiana and Tuck of Virginia, members of the Un-American Activities Committee, participated. No investigation was made of the 80-year betrayal of Reconstruction Democracy: Lynching, Unfree and fraudulent elections, — Jim Crowism.

DOLLARS FOR WITCH HUNT

The Committee has wrung the largest appropriation from Congress in its history — \$327,000 — for 1959 alone! It is spending thousands of tax dollars to print political smears, thinly disguised as Committee Reports, against those who seek to abolish the Committee.

SMEAR DEFENCE LAWYERS

The Committee attacked attorneys who defend Constitutional rights of Americans.

ATTACK ON SUPREME COURT

The Committee has held hearings in Los Angeles, Pittsburgh and Washington, D. C., admittedly to press for legislation aimed at overturning the recent civil liberties decisions of the U. S. Supreme Court.

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Un-American Activities Unit Is Most Un-American: Truman

TRUMAN CALLS HOUSE GROUP UN-AMERICAN

Hits Witch Hunting in Columbia Lecture

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Truman, in a discussion of "hysteria and witch hunting," said the era of McCarthyism was one of the worst periods of hysteria in United States history.

He attacked demagogues who, he said, inflate the public mind with false assertions and he warned his 1,200 "students" to be on guard against them.

Calls Demagog Dangerous

"We are going thru a period now," he said, "where some of the witch hunters in the House and Senate are charging things that do not exist. We will understand this when all this hokey is over. A demagog is a dangerous man."

"The un-American activities committee is the most un-American thing in the country today."

"Ridicule is the best way to handle those demagogues who misrepresent. When you stick a pin in a stuffed shirt and let the air out, he's thru."

Truman's lecture in McMillin theater on the Columbia University campus was the last of his three appearances on the platform this week.

In his final talk, he reviewed periods of hysteria he said had swept the country since 1692 when 20 persons were put to death in Salem, Mass., in "a witch hunt."

One hundred years later, Truman said, there was a furor over the alien and sedition laws. Thirty years after that, in the 1820s, he said, there was anti-Masonic agitation.

Recalls Ku Klux Klan

The next furor was aimed at the Roman Catholic church, Truman said, because a demagog claimed "the pope was going to run the country."

In the 1920s, the Ku Klux Klan "worked behind a sheet with a mask on," he said.

Truman urged his audience not to be fooled by demagogues of any kind.

"Old stiffs like me are thru," he said. "It is up to you youngsters to take over and assume responsibility."

Chicago Daily Tribune

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THE WALL STREET JOURNAL

Ex-President Truman said witch-hunting still exists in Congress. Some lawmakers, he told students in a Columbia University lecture, "are charging people with things that don't exist."

The New York Times

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"Up to Youngsters"

Truman Hits
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CHICAGO SUN-TIMES.

Fri., May 1, 1959

Truman Ready
To Visit Group
Of Red Probers

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Time permitting, former President Harry S. Truman agreed Thursday to tell the House Committee on un-American Activities to its face why he thinks it the "most un-American thing in America."

Chairman Francis E. Walter (D-Pa.) invited Mr. Truman to appear before the group to explain the charge he made Wednesday during a lecture on "Hysteria and Witch Hunting" at Columbia University in New York.

Abolish the Un-American Activities Committee!

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On 4/25/59, [] stated that at the Partido Comunista Puertorriqueno (PCP) meeting held on 4/24/59, a lengthy discussion was had concerning a subscription to "Pueblo," PCP publication, received from the House Committee on Un-American Activities. Enclosed in payment for the publication was a \$1.00 money order. The party agreed to send the publication to the HCUA each time it is printed, and to make a photostatic copy of the money order for record purposes. Thereafter, a letter was to be written to the Committee. (U)

On 5/2/59, [] said that at the meeting held on 5/1/59, it was agreed that MANUEL ARROYO and JUAN SANTOS RIVERA would prepare the letter to the HCUA on 5/3/59. A photostatic copy of the check has already been prepared. (U)

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TO : MR. MC GUIRE *Wm.*

DATE: 5-8-59

FROM : L. E. SHORT *8/5*SUBJECT: ~~CUMULATIVE INDEX TO PUBLICATIONS OF~~
~~COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES~~
1955 AND 1956 (61-7582 serial 4028)

Reference is made to Mr. Nichols' memorandum to Mr. Tolson dated 10-12-55 which recorded the receipt of a cumulative index to publications of the committee on Un-American Activities covering the years 1938 through 1954. The Records Branch is now in receipt of an addition to this index which extends our coverage through the years 1955 and 1956.

In order to facilitate reference to this index at the Bureau, an appropriate guide is attached which lists the identity of the publications and their location in Bureau files. Distribution of this index guide will be made to the interested sections of the Domestic Intelligence Division and other supervisors having copies of the cumulative index. The Records Branch will also maintain sufficient copies of the attachment for use as a reference guide.

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DATE: May 15, 1959

FROM : Mr. F. J. Baumgardner

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CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS

Mr. DeLoach's memorandum to Mr. Tolson 5-13-59 indicates that Mr. Richard Arens, chief counsel of the HCUA, inquired regarding Clinton Edward Jencks, whose conviction for filing a noncommunist affidavit resulted in the Jencks decision by the Supreme Court. In view of a college fellowship recently awarded to Jencks, the HCUA is considering subpoenaing him. Mr. Arens desired information which might permit a determination as to whether Jencks will invoke the Fifth Amendment concerning Communist Party (CP) membership and, if so, the dates that will be involved. He also asked whether, if Jencks denies CP membership, there is any likelihood of showing him as still active in front groups. Mr. Arens also wondered if there is any witness who can put Jencks in the CP other than Harvey Matusow and [redacted] who testified at his trial.

Whether or not Jencks will use the Fifth Amendment if called before the HCUA is a question that we cannot answer. Jencks reportedly joined the CP in 1940 and first filed a noncommunist affidavit on 10-18-49. In October, 1952, he appeared before the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee and invoked the Fifth Amendment.

Since July, 1956, Jencks has resided in California. During the period from July, 1956, to March, 1959, he has attended functions sponsored by the "People's World," "National Guardian," and the following front groups: (according to currently active sources)

California Labor School
 American Russian Institute
 Bay Area Council of Sobell Committee
 Walt Whitman Center
 Independent Socialist Forum
 Powell-Schuman Defense Fund
 Labor Youth League
 Northern California Committee for Protection of Foreign Born

One confidential informant who reported his attendance at such functions in 1956 and 1957, [redacted] has been discontinued but has not indicated a willingness to testify before a Congressional committee. It would be necessary to have her contacted by the field to ascertain her attitude regarding such

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testimony. The file does not indicate any such possible witness regarding his front group activities in 1958 or 1959. Although it is possible that panel sources may have attended these front group functions, none are indicated as reporting on Jencks. It would be necessary to check with the field to ascertain if any attended and whether or not they can identify Jencks.

In addition to [redacted] and Matusow, [redacted]
[redacted] Denver, Colorado; [redacted]
[redacted] Tuscon, Arizona;
Kenneth Eckert, 408 Notre Dame, Grosse Pointe, Michigan; and [redacted]
[redacted] New Jersey, testified at the
trial of Jencks regarding his connections with the CP prior to 1949.
The addresses given are the most recent available.

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In addition to these individuals, Hermoine Jencks, who was married to Jencks from 1939 to 1941 and in 1953 resided at 3666 Cleveland Street, St. Louis, Missouri, furnished a signed statement regarding his CP membership in 1940 and 1941. Her attitude regarding a possible appearance before the HCUA is unknown.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that this memorandum be forwarded to Mr. DeLoach for his use in answering the inquiry by Mr. Arens.

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5/20/59. Jencks
will be subpoenaed
in early June, 1959,
during HCUA hearing in
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: May 4, 1959

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
HEARINGS IN PUERTO RICO

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DeLoach	✓
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Tele. Room	✓
Holloman	✓
Gandy	✓

Dick Arens of the captioned Committee at 3:40 p.m., 5-1-59, telephoned Wick stating that Committee Investigator George Williams is working on the Puerto Rico hearings which the Committee intends to hold in New York City in September of this year and then immediately follow up with hearings in Puerto Rico.

Arens said the Committee has no good leads on the Communist Party infiltration of Puerto Ricans in New York City and therefore needs: (1) friendly witnesses; (2) the names of about 6 Puerto Ricans in New York City who might be expected to take the Fifth Amendment because of membership in the Communist Party.

Wick told Arens that he did not know precisely what assistance we might be able to offer but a check would be made.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to the Domestic Intelligence Division for consideration with a view to possibly helping the Committee in line with their request above.

1 - Mr. Belmont

1 - Mr. Jones

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TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont *ABV*

DATE: May 13, 1959

FROM : Mr. J. F. Bland *JFB*SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
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Memo DeLoach to Tolson, 5-4-59 concerned request from Dick Arens, House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA) counsel, for assistance in lining up witnesses for tentative HCUA hearings to be held at New York in September, 1959, regarding communist infiltration into the Puerto Rican colony. Arens stated that the HCUA does not have any good leads in this field and needs:

- 1) Friendly witnesses.
- 2) The names of about six individuals who might be expected to take the 5th Amendment if called before the Committee because of membership in the Communist Party (CP).

Review of logical Bufiles was made without uncovering any individuals who could serve as friendly witnesses in this contemplated hearing.

The names and addresses of six individuals, all of whom reside in the New York City area, are being set out hereafter. The names of all of these individuals are included in the Security Index, and they have all engaged in recent CP or Provisional Committee to Reconstitute the CP, USA (POC) activities. The latter group was formed by a factional group within the CP who did not believe that the present program of the CP, USA, is revolutionary or "left" enough. Numerous communists of Puerto Rican extraction have been attracted to the POC.

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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
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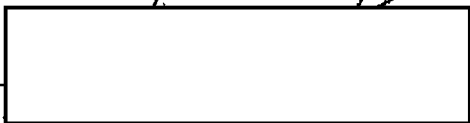
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Re: House Committee on Un-American Activities
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All of the afore-mentioned individuals would be likely to take the 5th Amendment if called before the HCUA. The New York Office has advised that the calling of these individuals before the HCUA would not affect any security investigations of the New York Office.

RECOMMENDATION:

This memorandum be forwarded to Mr. DeLoach.

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Answer advised
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : The Director

DATE: May 15, 1959

FROM : J. P. Mohr

SUBJECT: *House Committee on Un-American Activities -*
The Congressional Record

Pages 7371-7372, Congressman Moulder, (D) Missouri, spoke concerning an article in the Washington Post and Times Herald entitled "Moulder Wonders, 'The House Group' a Red Probe 'Used' by Corrupt Unionists?" Mr. Moulder stated "I say flatly and unequivocally that this is a misquotation of myself and, together with the body of the article, conveys a false impression. I say further, Mr. Speaker, that it would appear that the article is an attempt to do a whitewash job for the Communists." He commented on his remarks to a staff reporter from the Washington Post and Times Herald concerning recent hearings held in Chicago by the House Un-American Activities Committee on Communist penetration of the United Packinghouse Workers. Mr. Moulder stated "I told the reporter at this point that the Committee on Un-American Activities is not concerned at all with any conflict between labor organizations as such; that our sole and exclusive concern was to pursue Communists wherever they may be; that, in my judgment, the recent hearings in Chicago were effective, efficiently handled, and were based on sound, reliable sources of information including the testimony of three reliable witnesses, one of whom until recently has been an undercover agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation."

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In the original of a memorandum captioned and dated as above, the Congressional Record for Thursday, May 14, 1959 was reviewed and pertinent items were marked for the Director's attention. This form has been prepared in order that portions of a copy of the original memorandum may be clipped, mounted, and placed in appropriate Bureau case or subject matter files.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-1664)

RE: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
Proposed Hearings Los Angeles and San
Francisco, June, 1959

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WILLIAM A. WHEELER, West Coast Representative, HCUA, today advised the Committee will hold public and executive session hearings in San Francisco beginning Wednesday, 6/17/59, and which will conclude 6/19/59. The Committee tentatively anticipates subpoenaing approximately 35 teachers on or about 6/1/59. The public portion of the hearing will feature [redacted] former CP member, who has previously testified before the Committee in executive sessions at Los Angeles.

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The Committee will hold public and executive session hearings in Los Angeles beginning Monday 6/22/59, and concluding on Thursday, 6/25/59. Approximately 75 teachers are being considered as witnesses at this time and will probably be subpoenaed on or about 6/1/59. Mr. WHEELER advised this latter figure is subject to change. He also advised [redacted] may be utilized to open the public portion of the hearings in Los Angeles.

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Blind memos concerning those individuals on whom public source is available are being prepared and will be

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furnished to the Bureau immediately upon completion. Current residences and employment of those individuals considered as witnesses are in process of being obtained and will be submitted to Bureau on or about 5/25/59. The proposed hearing is being closely followed and the Bureau will be promptly advised of all pertinent developments.

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TO : Mr. Belmont *MB*

May 19, 1959

FROM : C. D. DeLoach *D*SUBJECT: Testimony of
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There is attached the transcript of the Hearings before the House Committee on Un-American Activities on Communist Activities and Infiltration in the Chicago, Illinois, Area, for May 6. The testimony of begins on Page 200.

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After review, please return this volume to my office for return to the Committee.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-374403)

FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND [REDACTED]

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On 5-25-59, [REDACTED] Ohio, a former security informant, telephoned a letter to our Resident Agent at Lorain, Ohio, dated 5-18-59, from the Congress of the United States, House of Representatives, Committee on Un-American Activities, and signed DONALD T. APPERL, Investigator. This letter inquired of [REDACTED] knowledge concerning [REDACTED] (Bufile 100-368556), who was known in the CP as [REDACTED] and reportedly was active in the CP in Lorain, Ohio area.

The letter requested [REDACTED] to appear before the Un-American Activities Committee on [REDACTED] for the purpose of determining if he knew [REDACTED] and was able to furnish any information concerning [REDACTED].

[REDACTED] stated he was unable to recall if he had ever furnished any information concerning [REDACTED] and he advised the Un-American Activities Committee. This Committee suggested he contact the FBI in an effort to determine if he had furnished any information, and if so, that they might possibly be able to refresh his memory concerning the particular information.

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[REDACTED] has furnished information regarding [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] pertinent items being set forth in the report of
SA FRANK R. MARSH dated 2-9-53 at Cleveland, Ohio, wherein
[REDACTED] is designated as T-5.

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[REDACTED] has been instructed to advise HQUA that
for any such request to be considered, same must be made
thru the Bureau in Washington, D.C.

Above for information of Bureau.

W. A. MURPHY

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7682)

DATE: 5/29/59

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-22169)

ATTENTION: RECORDS
SECTIONSUBJECT: HCUA.

HCUA held hearings in Los Angeles, California, on 9/2, 3, 4, 5/58 and 2/24 and 25/59. These hearings have been released in three parts of a publication entitled "The Southern California District of the Communist Party Structure-Objectives-Leadership."

Two sets of this publication are enclosed for the Bureau, five sets for Los Angeles, two sets for San Diego and two sets for San Francisco.

The Bureau instructions pertaining to this review are set out below:

Current Bureau instructions direct the Washington Field Office to obtain transcripts of the hearings, to forward them to the office covering the locality of the hearings and to advise the Bureau when this has been done. The office covering the locality of the hearings should thoroughly review these transcripts upon their receipt, advise the Bureau of the identities of each person mentioned and advise of their subversive activity unless such information is currently in Bureau's possession. Such data should be submitted under the caption of the various individuals identified. These memoranda must contain a statement as to whether or not the individual has been the subject of Bureau investigation and as to what action is being taken on any new information developed.

In those instances where an individual has been investigated by the Bureau and the new information obtained does not warrant additional investigation, you should again give consideration to requesting Bureau authority to inter-

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view the individual. Further, you should submit your recommendations regarding interview of any "friendly witnesses."

In those instances where a person testified about an individual residing within another division, it is your responsibility to advise the appropriate office of the nature of the information and of the Bureau's instructions.

For your information and guidance, upon receipt of transcripts of testimony from the Washington Field Office, you are directed to advise the Bureau of the status of your review within one week's time. Thereafter, you will be requested to submit weekly letters advising of the status of your review until the project is completed and necessary action has been taken in accordance with Bureau instructions.

The office covering the locality where the hearings are held should submit a final letter advising of the completion of the review of the testimony. This letter should contain a statement regarding number of witnesses testifying, the number of persons identified as communists, the fact that the Bureau has been advised under individual caption of the information furnished by "friendly witnesses," that recommendations have been forwarded to the Bureau regarding interview with "friendly witnesses" and that recommendations have been forwarded to the Bureau under individual caption regarding additional investigation or the advisability of interviewing these individuals.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)
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Re Chicago airtel dated 5/8/59.

On 5/19/59, [] who has furnished reliable information in the past, personally provided SA WILLIAM R. CATHEY with oral information pertaining to a meeting with RICHARD CRILEY on 5/18/59 at Chicago, Illinois. (U)

The above information was reduced to writing by SA CATHEY on 5/19/59 and authenticated by the informant on that date. (U)

The original information is being maintained in Chicago file A) [] and is quoted as follows: (U)

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 1 - 100-3486 (NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD)
 1 - 100-35523 (HAROLD J. KAMM)
 1 - 100-31946 (CHICAGO COMMITTEE TO DEFEND
 DEMOCRATIC RIGHTS)
 1 - 100-18080 (RICHARD CRILEY)
 1 - 100-18009 (COMINFIL - UPWA)
 1 - 100-20620 (AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION)
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"On May 18, 1959, RICHARD CRILEY, Chairman, Chicago Committee to Defend Democratic Rights, met with HAROLD J. KAMM, National Lawyers Guild member, at Chicago, Illinois. CRILEY desired to obtain from KAMM a taped recording of his (CRILEY's) testimony before the House Committee on Un-American Activities on May 5, 1959.

"CRILEY stated that the HCUA was organized for legislative purposes. The HCUA presumably conducts hearings to determine if there is a need for additional legislation re security. However, the Committee has nothing to do with legislation and has no legislative purpose or interest. CRILEY said that he based the foregoing on the questions that he was asked at the hearing on May 5, 1959.

"CRILEY said that the HCUA was initially organized illegally, as one member, a Southerner, was elected to office in an election where Negroes were prohibited from voting.

"CRILEY said that his subpoena to appear before the HCUA was issued only a few days prior to the scheduled hearing and only a few days after he (CRILEY) released a pamphlet attacking the HCUA. CRILEY said that others subpoenaed by the Committee received their subpoenas long before he did, therefore, the HCUA was attempting to harrass him for his attack.

"CRILEY stated that the 'Packing witnesses' (UPWA - AFL-CIO) took the Fifth Amendment when they had every opportunity to take the First Amendment and use the same reasons that he used for not testifying. In that manner the packing witnesses could successfully attack the very basis of the Committee.

"CRILEY said that he wants the taped recording of his testimony as evidence in his behalf as he feels he will be cited by the Committee for contempt.

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"CRILEY also remarked that he could use the tape for a one hour radio program on WSEL during which time he will bring in American Civil Liberties Union attorneys such as [REDACTED] to participate in the program.

"CRILEY remarked that he is presently employed at CCDDR Headquarters, 189 West Madison, Chicago, without pay and has been so employed for the last 1 1/2 years."

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TO : Director, FBI (61-7582)

FROM: SAC, San Francisco (100-36985)

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
 PROPOSED HEARINGS, SAN FRANCISCO AND LOS ANGELES,
 JUNE 1959

ReSFairtel 4/14/59.

On 5/25/59 WILLIAM A. WHEELER, West Coast Representative, HCUA, advised that public and executive session hearings will be held in [redacted] former [redacted] will testify in open session that he was a member of the Communist Party and also that ALVIN MURRAY WHITE was also a CP member and that at a meeting of the Palo Alto Club of the Communist Party a resolution was passed to drop ALVIN WHITE from membership so that WHITE could apply for a teacher's credential and in good faith sign the Calif. loyalty oath. WHEELER stated that thereafter WHITE, who is being subpoenaed, will also testify in open session and that others subpoenaed in executive session. He stated that the theme of the hearing based on [redacted] testimony will raise the question that since WHITE resigned from the CP in order to obtain teaching credentials, how many other teachers also resigned from the Communist Party because of the loyalty oath to enter the teaching profession although still believing in Communist Party principles.

WHEELER stated that a final decision had not yet been made as to the identities of approximately 35 individuals on whom subpoenas will be served. It is noted of the names mentioned by him, all are included in reSFairtel of 4/14/59 and all of their files have already been processed in accordance with Bureau instructions in regard to individuals to be subpoenaed.

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HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
PROPOSED HEARINGS, SAN FRANCISCO AND LOS ANGELES, CALIF.
JUNE 1959

G. H. [Signature]

On 5/26/59 WILLIAM A. WHEELER, West Coast representative, HCUA, advised that he had received instructions from Washington to issue a subpoena for CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS to testify at the San Francisco HCUA hearings beginning on 6/17/59. WHEELER stated that he did not know whether JENCKS would be subpoenaed to testify at the public or at the executive session. He felt that the instruction to subpoena JENCKS was based on the fact that JENCKS is presently attending the University of California under a fellowship granted by the Ford Foundation.

Attention of the Bureau is directed to report of SA HAROLD V. CATES dated 4/30/59 at San Francisco. No additional pertinent information concerning JENCKS has been received since that time. In accordance with previous Bureau instructions, San Francisco will submit a blind memorandum in duplicate to the Bureau containing public source information available concerning CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, UACB.

Additional pertinent information furnished by Mr. WHEELER concerning the San Francisco hearings will be promptly furnished to the Bureau.

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To: SAC, New York

From: Director, FBI

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA)

It has been determined that the captioned Committee contemplates holding hearings at an unspecified date in the future concerning communist training schools and that the fourteen individuals listed below may be called as witnesses.

[Redacted]
Irving Potash

Leon Josephson

Myer Weise

Esther Cantor

Henry Klein

William Albertson

[Redacted]
Sidney Finklestein

Harold Collins

Howard Selsam

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You should immediately furnish to the Bureau, in report form under individual case caption, any information about the individuals listed above which has not previously been furnished to Bureau. Keep the Bureau advised of all developments coming to your attention concerning this matter.

NOTE: Subjects all included in Security Index. On 5-28-59, Arens of the HCUA requested addresses for individuals named above in connection with issuing subpoenas for their appearance before HCUA hearings concerning communist training schools.

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TO : Director, FBI (61-7582)

FROM: SAC, San Francisco (100-36985)

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
PROPOSED SAN FRANCISCO HEARINGS, 6/17-19/59

On 5/29/59 WILLIAM A. WHEELER, West Coast representative, HCUA, advised that subpoenas have been issued today to be served on 6/5/59 on the following individuals, all of whom are expected to be unfriendly witnesses:

BESSIE, HELEN, Bufile 100-393979
 CLYDE, JOHN, Bufile 100-418969
 CRABTREE, EDGAR, Bufile 100-351076
 CROME, SARAH, Bufile 100-215679
 ELBER, FREDERICK EDWIN, Bufile 65-33996
 ERB, TILLMAN H., Bufile 100-374243
 FRIEND, ROBERT, Bufile 100-393066
 FROMER, KATHERIN, Bufile 100-373720
 [REDACTED], Bufile 100-388013
 HOLMGREN, KATHERINE, Bufile 100-332794
 [REDACTED], Bufile 100-397627
 HULTGREN, WAYNE RICHARD, Bufile 100-348809
 JENCKS, CLINTON, Bufile 100-39680
 JOHNSON, RALPH, Bufile 100-361089
 JOHNSON, JOHN ALLEN, Bufile 100-263438
 KEYSER, ELIZABETH, Bufile 100-359457
 LANDY, GOLDIE, Bufile 100-440386
 [REDACTED], Bufile 100-363968
 [REDACTED], Bufile 100-390439
 MAAS, ELEANOR, Bufile 100-370159
 [REDACTED], Bufile 100-359530
 MACK, WILLIAM, Bufile 100-361284
 MILLER, HELEN, Bufile 100-334016
 [REDACTED], Bufile 100-407028

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[REDACTED] Bufile 100-397324
SCHOENFELD, EVELYN, Bufile 100-225833
[REDACTED] Bufile 100-406487
[REDACTED] Bufile 100-402502
SILVERMAN, BETTY L., Bufile 100-393843
[REDACTED] Bufile 100-378231
SMITH, DEWITT CLINTON, Bufile 61-10635
[REDACTED] Bufile 100-369468
TUOMINEN, IRMA, Bufile 100-377932
[REDACTED] Bufile 100-424488
VAST, FRED, Bufile 100-233635
[REDACTED] Bufile 100-362580
WHITE, ALVIN, Bufile 100-389846
[REDACTED] Bufile 100-331398
ZETZ, LOUIS, Bufile 100-393872

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All of the files on the individuals named above have been processed pursuant to Bureau instructions concerning persons to be subpoenaed by the HCUA.

The Bureau will be informed of further pertinent information as received concerning the above hearings.

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Date: 5/25/59

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-1664)

RE: ⁰ HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
PROPOSED HEARING
JUNE, 1959

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Re Los Angeles airtel to Bureau 4/23/59; Bureau letters to Los Angeles 4/30/59 and 5/6/59; and Los Angeles airtel to Bureau 5/20/59.

WILLIAM A. WHEELER, West Coast Representative, House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA), Los Angeles, Calif., has furnished the names of individuals who he is currently considering subpoenaing as witnesses before the HCUA, which will hold public and executive session hearings in Los Angeles on or about 6/22/59 and concluding on or about 6/25/59.

WHEELER contemplates issuing subpoenas to the individuals named within the body of this airtel on or about 6/1/59. This list is elastic and subject to change up to the time of the hearing.

Section I

Based on a review of Los Angeles files, there is being forwarded herewith blind memoranda in duplicate containing available public source information on each of the following:

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Memo to Bureau to Belmont 6/1/59 re 10 individuals mentioned in Section I

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Name	Bufile No.	LA File No.
DORIS BARR	100-310392✓	100-24069
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	100-355808✓	100-26126
	100-392865✓	100-24908
	100-218721✓	100-18591
	100-364012✓	100-55565
ALBERT LAKE	100-389335✓	100-19436
LIBBIE MINKUS	100-273878✓	100-20681
CARROLL HARRIS RICHARDSON	100-380799✓	100-34714
<div></div>	100-421305✓	100-52457

Section II

Blind memoranda were previously submitted on the following as set forth in Los Angeles letter to Bureau dated 4/15/59 and supplemental blind memoranda are enclosed setting forth their current residence and employment:

EDITH CARTER	100-387410✓	100-30179
SERRIL GERBER	100-47072✓	100-4991
LOLA PATRICIA HANSON	100-385271✓	100-27547
GENEVA MELTON HOWARD	100-385588✓	100-28131
SOL DAVID LARKS	100-27922✓	100-40616
<div></div>	100-391589✓	100-34020
BARBARA SNYDER MOREL	100-268064✓	100-20743
PHILIP GEORGE NASH	100-371639✓	100-32987

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Name	Bufile No.	LA File No.
ELSIE R. NICHAMIN	100-388038✓	100-46882
CLARA WEINSTEIN RODNEY	100-205832✓	100-56745
SAMSON I. SKOLNICK	100-391768✓	100-30655
JACOB MEYER STEIN	100-394516✓	100-40800
GERALD VERE STRANG	100-367755✓	100-29358
[REDACTED]	100-259747✓	100-20492
THEODORE JOSEPH VINCENT	100-10441✓	100-47457

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Section III

In the absence of public source information, blind memoranda was not prepared on each of the following:

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BEN H. BANTA 100-57186

[REDACTED] 100-383261 100-54725

RUTH BISHOP 100-387477 100-29670

SONIA POJAR BRAVERMAN 100-47716 100-21796

ROBERT DUFF BRENT 100-418648 100-31663

[REDACTED] 140-989

JOHN W. DICKINSON 100-402693 100-44325





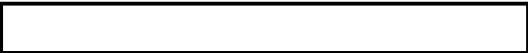
MARGARET DRIGGS 100-56932

DAVID ELBER 100-390770 100-29879

SYLVIA NIDEN EHRLICH 100-22723

[REDACTED] 140-1236

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Name	Bufile No.	LA File No.
BERNARD FEYER	100-427448	100-21739
SYLVIA SCHIFF FEYER		100-21980
	100-401766	100-44551
JOHN KENNETH FORREST	100-236593	100-23959
RUTH FORREST	100-67166	100-29716
		100-25227
RUTH HERSHEY	100-393790	100-26542
BETH MC ARTHUR LANDIS	100-390734	100-32017
ABRAHAM ROBERT LEPOWSKY	100-422038	100-53247
RUTH LEVITT LEVINE	100-394607	100-30342
CORNELIUS J. LOESER	100-341370	100-30385
EARL LUKOFF MELINKOFF	100-420717	100-24900
MARTIN GEORGE MELLON	100-393824	100-41313
	100-390049	100-33162
ELIZABETH MATTIE PORTER	100-154684	100-41048
		100-50623
	100-416523	100-56840
	100-346920	100-27951
	100-424937	100-43942
BERNARD SCHORR	100-413945	100-46743
	100-404848	100-55021
GERTRUDE SUSSMAN SEVELL		100-24673

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Name	Bufile No.	LA File No.
MORTON MANUEL SHAFER	100-367053	100-48241
RUTH SHORR	100-390805	100-27304
JOHN ERNEST THORNE	100-394109	100-30291
AUBE TZERKO		100-23754
	100-368846	100-31601
KENNETH STRICKLAND WASHINGTON	100-352213	100-31763
SAMUEL WELLBAUM	100-367031	100-25151
BARBARA CAROL AMES WESTON	100-407786	100-48136
DAVID ALDEN WILLIAMS	100-354721	100-24403
	100-352245	100-30441
ROBIN WILNER	100-402297	100-45104
EUGENE ZWOLINSKI, JR.		100-44162

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Blind memoranda, which included the individuals' residence and employment were submitted by Los Angeles to the Bureau by letter dated 4/15/59 on the following:

HAROLD COLLINS	100-355859	100-52605
FLORENCE SLOAT	100-385777	100-25268

The June hearing of HCUA is being closely followed and all pertinent developments will be promptly furnished to the Bureau, San Francisco and San Diego Offices. Deletions and additions to the above list of potential witnesses will be furnished to the Bureau when such information is made available to the Los Angeles Division.

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Los Angeles, California

May 20, 1959

BARBARA SNYDER MOREL

Morel currently residing at 3680 Delta Avenue, Long Beach, California, and is employed as a teacher at the 139th Street Elementary School, 13900 McKinley Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

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May 20, 1959

JACOB MEYER STEIN, also
known as Jack Stein

Stein currently resides at 501 West Elm Street,
Compton, California, and is employed as a teacher at the
Excelsior Union High School, 15711 South Pioneer Boulevard,
Norwalk, California.

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[redacted] resides at [redacted]
[redacted] Los Angeles, California. She is employed as a
kindergarten teacher in the mornings at the [redacted]
[redacted] Glendale,
California and in the afternoons at the [redacted]
[redacted] Glendale,
California.

May 19, 1959

GERALD VERE STRANG

STRANG currently resides at 16457 Clymer Street, Granada Hills, California, and is employed as an instructor at San Fernando Valley State College, 18111 Nordhoff Street, Northridge, California.

May 18, 1959

EDITH CARTER, aka.

Mrs. Edith H. Carter presently resides at 727
Hanley Avenue, Brentwood, California, and does private
tutoring from her residence. She is not employed as a
school teacher at this time.

May 20, 1959

GENEVA HOWARD, nee Geneva Melton,
aka [REDACTED]

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By means of a suitable pretext interview on May 20, 1959, it was determined that GENEVA HOWARD resides at 912 North Alabama Avenue, Compton, California, and is employed as a schoolteacher at the Mark Twain Elementary School, 13024 Salinas Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

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[REDACTED] currently resides at [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Culver City, California.

She is a housewife and until recently was employed as a Substitute Elementary Teacher for the [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Los Angeles, California. She continues to hold a valid teaching credential.

May 20, 1959

PHILIP GEORGE NASH

PHILIP GEORGE NASH currently resides at 2078
Norwalk Avenue, Los Angeles 41, California, and is employed
as a specialist in the Evaluation and Research Department,
Los Angeles City Board of Education, 450 North Grand Avenue,
Los Angeles, California.

Los Angeles, California

May 20, 1959

ELSIE R. MICHAMIN

Michamin currently resides at 12431 Lonsdale Avenue, North Hollywood, California, and is currently working at the Bonds for Israel Office, 1226 South La Brea Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

Los Angeles, California

May 20, 1959

CLARA WEINSTEIN RODNEY

Clara Weinstein Rodney resided at 4226 West 161st Street, Lawndale, California, as of April, 1959.

As of April 13, 1959, she was employed as a teacher at Lucille Smith School, 14609 Grevillea Avenue, Lawndale, California. Her contract as a teacher was terminated on or about April 29, 1959, and she was placed on paid leave of absence until the end of the semester (June, 1959), at which time her contract would expire.

May 19, 1959

THEODORE JOSEPH VINCENT, aka.
Tad Vincent

VINCENT resided at 822 East Miramar Avenue, Claremont, California, and was employed as a chemistry instructor, Citrus Junior College, 18824 East Foothill Boulevard, Azusa, California, during March, 1959.

Los Angeles, California
May 19, 1959

SERRIL LENORD GERBER
also known as Serrill
Gerber, Cyril Gerber

As of May 19, 1959, GERBER resided at 2841¹/₂ Avenel
Street, Los Angeles, and was employed as a teacher at the
Laurence School, 6424-28 Woodman Avenue, Van Nuys, California.

May 18, 1959

LOLA PATRICIA HANSON, nee
Lola Patricia Whang, also
known as Lola Patricia Price,
Mrs. Joseph Moses Price, Lola
Park, Mrs. Donald Lee Hanson

LOLA PATRICIA HANSON resides at 2108 Cotner Avenue,
Los Angeles, California, and is employed as a teacher at the
Westland School, 2121 Corinth Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

May 20, 1959

SOL DAVID LARKS

SOL DAVID LARKS is employed on the faculty of the University of California at Los Angeles Medical School, Los Angeles, California, and resides at 413 1/2 Veteran Avenue, West Los Angeles, California.

May 19, 1959

SAMSON I. SKOLNICK, also known as
S. Kolnick, Cy Skolnick, Samson S.
Skolnick, Seymour Skolnick, Si
Skolnick, Al Goldner, S. Skolnik

SKOLNICK currently resides at 7427 Marbrisa Avenue,
Huntington Park, California, the home of his father-in-law.

He is presently employed as a teacher at the 92nd
Street Elementary School, 9211 Grape Street, Los Angeles,
California.

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TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: May 27, 1959

FROM : C. D. DELOACH *CD*SUBJECT: PHILLIP GEORGE NASH
INQUIRY FROM HOUSE COMMITTEE
ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA)

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On May 26, 1959, Dick Arens, Staff Director of the HCUA, telephoned and referred to the fact that they are planning on holding hearings concerning communist school teachers on the West Coast. They need one item of information concerning Phillip George Nash, if available. Arens said the Committee thinks Nash was a member of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade in Spain but they cannot locate him in the list under his present name. Arens, therefore, wondered whether we had any aliases on Nash or other information which might enable him to resolve that point.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to Mr. Belmont's division for research.

1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Mr. Jones

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☐ Buildup ☐ Variations
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

DATE: 6/3/59

ATTN: RECORDS SECTION

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-22169)

SUBJECT: HCUAALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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HCUA has prepared a publication entitled, Communist Persecution of Churches in Red China and Northern Korea - Consultation with five Church Leaders:

Rev. PETER CHU PONG
Rev. SHIH-PING WANT
Rev. TSIN-TSAI LIU
Rev. SAMUEL W. S. CHENG
Mr. KYUNG RAI KIM

Five copies of this publication are enclosed for the Bureau and two copies are enclosed for the New York Office.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: May 28, 1959

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: Report House Committee on Un-American Activities
 "Communist Persecution of Churches in Red
 China and Northern Korea"
 to be released June 1, 1959

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 Gandy ☒

There is attached a copy of a report to be released by the House Committee on Un-American Activities entitled "Communist Persecution of Churches in Red China and Northern Korea" - Consultation with Five Church Leaders - on June 1, as well as a copy of their formal release to the press regarding the report.

RECOMMENDATION: That this report be forwarded to the Domestic Intelligence Division for appropriate action.

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- 1--Mr. Belmont (with 3 copies report)
 1--Mr. Jones (with copy report)

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FOR RELEASE MONDAY, JUNE 1, 1959, A. M.
PLEASE GUARD AGAINST PREMATURE RELEASE.

COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D. C.

The Communist governments of Red China and North Korea are engaged in an intense campaign of atrocities to wipe out all vestiges of Christianity, five church leaders who fled from this area declared in a consultation with the House Committee on Un-American Activities, which was made public today.

"There are no longer any truly Christian churches operating in Red China," Reverend Peter Chu Pong, General Secretary of the Hong Kong International Christian Leadership, stated. "The only ones in existence are propaganda churches operated by the Communists with Communist ministers picked out by the government to fill the pulpits and indoctrinate the people in communism."

Christians are compelled to attend re-education and self-confession classes, Reverend Tsin-tsai Liu declared. If the self-confessing classes are not successful, the Communists resort to other means:

"They stop the noses of the people and pour water in their mouths. Every time the person breathes, he swallows water. After he swallows enough water, his stomach swells up, and then they stand on it. Then they use 24-hour questioning. The questioning goes on day and night with different shifts of Communists asking the questions. The person being questioned loses all sense of time. Also used are threats of violence to loved ones.

"The only churches that are allowed to remain open are Communist-run churches that serve as showcases for visitors," he continued.

"Since 1949 the Communist government of China has confiscated over 20 million U. S. dollars in church property; about 140,000 mainland Christians have been killed by the Communists; 5 million Chinese have fled as refugees to Hong Kong, Formosa, and other parts of the world, and over 30 million Chinese have been killed or persecuted," Reverend Samuel W. S. Cheng stated. "The Communist government," he said, "confiscates all relief goods sent to the mainland. None of it gets to the people. The only effective relief is air drop, such as that done by the Chinese Nationalists at night so the relief goods can be picked up secretly. All other relief is wasted."

Reverend Cheng described what had happened to the family of a member of the Chinese Nationalist House of Representatives on Formosa because he was intensely anti-Communist:

"His family and his cousins, brothers, all relatives, altogether 180 persons, have been killed.

"Again he says his oldest brother, who is a graduate of Columbia University, returned back to China in 1957 for peace negotiations. He does not know whether he is dead or alive.

"His second older brother, Mr. Wang, is also a graduate of Central Military Academy. He was executed by public accusation. This writer's sister-in-law is a very good woman. The Communists thought she had a whole lot of money and asked a lot of her, and she said she had lent it. So it made the Communists very mad at her. They used five horses. One horse was tied to her neck and the other horses were tied to her arms

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and legs and they went in all directions. The biggest horse ran and it just tore her body into pieces. The blood streamed all over the public square, and the people shut their eyes and cried. They could not stand to see it."

Reverend Shih-ping Wang, East Asia director of the Baptist Evangelization Society International, described the commune system recently instituted in Red China. This system has hurt the churches, he said, because it has given the government much more complete control of the people and all worship has been forbidden in the communes. He stated:

"The family unit is broken up. Husbands and wives are separated into different barracks. The children are taken away from the parents and placed in government-run nurseries. Husbands and wives may meet only once a week for two hours - they have no other contact. Because these places of meeting are few, couples must stand in line at the special rooms waiting their turn. And after they are finished, they must report to the commune group leader to tell the date and time and how long they stayed together. They must also report what they said and did together. The parents may see their children once a week and when they see them they cannot show affection toward their children. The idea is to have the children and the family sever their affection and direct it toward the state. Names are taken away from the children, and they are given numbers. There is no individual identity. The basic unit of social life in the commune is the commune itself."

Reverend Wang continued, "All the elderly people 60 years of age and above who cannot work are put in the old people's "Happy Home." After they are placed in the homes they are given shots. They are told these shots are for their health. But after the shots are taken, they die within two weeks. After they die, the corpses are placed in vats. When the bodies decay and maggots set in, the maggots are used to feed chickens. The remainder of the body is used for fertilizer. Old graves are also dug up and the bones used for fertilizer. In Hong Kong, the people do not eat chickens imported from the mainland because of the food fed to the chickens. To dig up the graves is to sever family ties completely. Chinese people revere their ancestors. Digging up the graves is the Communist method of severing all connections with tradition and the past."

Kyung Rai Kim, Christian leader in Southern Korea and chief of the religious section of the Kook Do Daily News in Seoul, told of Northern Korean Communist persecution of religion. As in China, he said, all denominations have been eliminated in Northern Korea. There is only one so-called church, the "Northern Church Association" and it, too, is not a true Christian church but merely a propaganda tool of the government.

In describing the Communist campaign against Christian churches, Reverend Kim declared, "In Pyongyang, in 1946, an educational ministry was developed to do away with the Christian churches. The educational ministry sent secret police during worship services to hear the ministers preach. The ministers who preached the gospel of Christ were accused of being against the government and were arrested. At first the government tried to make them confess to being against the government. Later they were shot. The government made public examples of the ministers by torturing them. An evangelist friend of mine, Lee Chang Whan, was killed. He was 26 years old, a real intellectual, a graduate of a Lutheran seminary, and could speak six languages fluently. In the winter of 1948, he was killed by the Communists, because he was going to print the Bible. He was trying to publish the Bible in secret because there was not freedom for Bible publishing under the puppet regime. The Red police stripped him naked, bound him, and put him into an empty water pool. It was 17 degrees below zero that day.

They filled the pool solid. My friend froze to death in 30 minutes. Then the police exhibited his body to the people.

"A lady evangelist, Kim Keum Sun, was tied between two horses. Then the horses were sent running in different directions. This happened in 1951. Through terrible persecutions such as these, the Communists made the people afraid to be Christians and to go to church. Kim Keum Sun was guilty of not letting a portrait of the chief of Northern Korea be placed in her church.

"In January 1951, 250 pastors were killed by the Communists on the same day in the same place in Hong Jai Dong, Seoul, Korea. The Red police made holes through the pastors' hands with an ax and bound them hand to hand with an iron thread, and they shot them. In February 1951, at Won Dang Church, Chen Ra Nam Do Province, Red soldiers burned 83 Christians with gasoline."

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. DeLoach *dv*

DATE: 5-29-59

FROM : H. L. Edwards *HW*SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
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On 5-28-59 Dick Arens, Staff Director of the HCUA sent the attached listed of individuals to whom the committee contemplates issuing subpoenas in connection with hearings which they are setting up concerning Communist training schools. Arens stated that he would appreciate receiving current addresses on them.

This list is being referred to Mr. Jones' section for necessary research to comply with the committee request.

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1 - Mr. Jones (Enclosure)

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TO : Mr. A. M. Belmont

DATE: June 1, 1959

FROM : Mr. J. F. Bland

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 ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (ECUATE)
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Reference is made to Mr. DeLoach's memorandum to Mr. Tolson, May 27, 1959, referring to a telephone call from Dick Arens, Staff Director of the HCUA. Mr. Arens advised that his committee thinks Nash was a member of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade in Spain and wondered whether we had any aliases on Nash or other information which might enable him to resolve that point. HCUA is planning on holding hearings in June, 1959, concerning communist school teachers on the West Coast and contemplate subpoenaing Nash. Nash is currently employed as a specialist in the Evaluation and Research Department, Los Angeles City Board of Education.

Arens was furnished public source information concerning Nash by Mr. DeLoach on 5-11-59 in connection with the proposed hearings in Los Angeles, California. This information made no reference to the Abraham Lincoln Brigade.

Bureau files fail to reveal any information identifying Nash as a member of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade in Spain. However, he was affiliated in 1950 and 1951 with a group composed mostly of expelled Communist Party (CP) members and Veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade whose alleged purpose was to sabotage the United States in the event of war with Russia. The only known alias which Nash has used is Phillip George.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to Mr. DeLoach for handling with Mr. Arens.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
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TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: 6-3-59

FROM :

C. D. DeLoach *CD*

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At 11:30 A. M. today Dick Arens, Staff Director of the House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA) called Edwards. He stated that Chairman Walters was speaking today in criticism of these art exhibits being sent from this country to Moscow. Arens stated that one of the artists whose work was being sent over was [REDACTED] who had been identified by Budenz before the Subversive Activities Control Board (SACB) in hearings as being in the Communist Party. Arens asked whether we would be able to give him any help to show [REDACTED] being in the Party or in any way connected with it.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to Mr. Belmont for compliance with Arens' request.

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- 1 - Mr. Jones

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TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: June 1, 1959

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
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W. DeLoach

You will recall that on 5/28/59 Dick Arens, Staff Director of the HCUA, sent a list of individuals to whom the committee contemplates issuing subpoenas in connection with hearings which they are setting up concerning communist training schools. Arens stated that he would appreciate receiving current addresses on them.

The 14 individuals listed by Arens are all Bureau Security Index subjects. There is attached a list of these individuals with the most recent address from the Security Index. This list is in blind memorandum form and may be furnished to Mr. Arens.

RECOMMENDATION:

That you furnish Dick Arens with the attached list.

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Hotel Chelsea
222 West 23rd Street
New York, New York

Leon Josephson
161 West 16th Street
New York, New York

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Flushing, New York

Esther Cantor
Apartment 2 B
809 West 177th Street
New York, New York

Henry Klein
88-09 Shore Road Parkway
Howard Beach, Queens, New York

William Albertson
Apartment 12 A
520 West 110th Street
New York, New York

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Brooklyn, New York

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New York, New York

Sidney Finklestein
522 Stratford Road
Brooklyn, New York

Harold Collins
Apartment 13
194 Columbia Heights
Brooklyn, New York

Howard Selsam
501 West 138th Street
New York, New York

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Suffolk County, L.I., New York

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)(100-3-70)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-36985)(100-27793)

RE: HCUA HEARINGS, SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION
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SF 1859-S* advised on 6/7/59 that on that date MICKEY LIMA, Chairman, CP Northern California District, was discussing the coming HCUA Hearings in San Francisco on 6/17/59 with ROBERT FRIEND of Santa Rosa, California, who with LIMA was among those subpoenaed.

LIMA stated that there was a possibility that the HCUA will hold executive sessions and that it is planned by the "lawyers" that the executive sessions can be blocked through the use of injunction on the grounds that the subpoena power of the Committee extends only to public hearings.

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S. B. Donahoe

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Re memo Mr. DeLoach to Mr. Tolson 5/29/59 "Report
House Committee on Un-American Activities 'Communist
Persecution of Churches in Red China and Northern Korea' to be
released June 1, 1959."

Captioned report which was attached to re memo was
reviewed and found to contain no pertinent information
necessitating dissemination to field nor does it contain any
data warranting action by Bureau.

The report deals with information furnished by five
Protestant clergymen and documents examples of religious
persecution of Protestant churches in China and North Korea
by Communists.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

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- 1 - Mr. Belmont
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)
 FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-1664)
 SUBJECT: HCUA

DATE: 6/9/59

Re WFO let to Bureau dated 5/29/59 enclosing the published transcript of HCUA hearings at Los Angeles 9/2-5/58 and 2/24-25/59 in a printed publication entitled "The Southern California District of the Communist Party: Structure-Objectives-Leadership." Relet also sets out Bureau instructions regarding review of this material.

The three-part HCUA report is in process of being reviewed by LA at the present time, following which the necessary steps to report the material in accordance with instructions will be taken. It is estimated that there are some 350 names of individuals, organizations and publications to be considered.

Progress in this matter will be reported weekly as directed.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

DATE: June 9, 1959

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-36985)

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES
OPPOSED HEARINGS, San Francisco and
Los Angeles, California, June, 1959

Re myret, 5/26/59, advising that a Blind Memorandum concerning CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS would be submitted in view of information received that he would be subpoenaed by captioned committee.

Attached are two copies of a Blind Memorandum concerning CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS.

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CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS

CLINTON EDWARD JENCKS, age 41, resides 1000 Talbot Street, Berkeley, and is employed as a machinist by the American Can Company, 3801 East 8th Street, Oakland, California. JENCKS, a former International Representative of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, was convicted in U.S. District Court, El Paso, Texas, on January 21, 1954 for violation of Section 1001, Title 18, U.S. Code, it being charged that he falsely signed a Taft-Hartley Non-Communist Affidavit. In June, 1957 the U.S. Supreme Court reversed this conviction, and, in December, 1957, the case was dismissed in U.S. District Court, El Paso, Texas.

In March, 1959, JENCKS was granted a WOODROW WILSON Fellowship to attend the graduate school at the University of California, Berkeley, California, for the purpose of preparing himself to be a teacher. He plans graduate study in the field of economics and is expected to begin his studies in the Fall term of 1959.

Page four of the April 14, 1946 issue of "Challenge", a paper published in Denver, Colorado, contained an article in which JENCKS was quoted as chairman of the Denver Chapter of the American Veterans Committee.

Page four of the May 19, 1946 issue of "Challenge" listed JENCKS as a Denver candidate to the American Veterans Committee Convention in Des Moines, Iowa.

Page five of the June 23, 1946 issue of "Challenge" contained an article which stated that JENCKS had been named as a member of the National Planning Committee of the American Veterans Committee and had been elected as regional vice-chairman of the Rocky Mountain Section of the AVC.

Page five of the July 7, 1946 issue of "Challenge" contained a statement reflecting that JENCKS was a member of the "People vs. Winrod" Committee in Denver, Colorado.

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The "Mountain States News Letter", which took the form of a bulletin to the American Veterans Committee members of Montana, Idaho, New Mexico, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and Arizona, was edited by JENCKS for a short period of time. In the March, 1957 issue of this bulletin, JENCKS criticized the [redacted] for his belief that "the prime measuring stick for chapter activity and membership acceptance, is complete rejection of anything that coincides with Communist platform and principles".

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The September 21, 1948 issue of the "El Paso Times" carried an article written by one SANKY TRIMBLE, Albuquerque, New Mexico reflecting that JENCKS had filed as a candidate for one of the two seats in the House of Representatives in New Mexico on the ticket of the Progressive Party of New Mexico.

The August, 1952 issue of "The Union Worker" official organ of the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers, carried an article entitled "ANMA United Mexicans-Americans" which concerned the Second National Convention of the National Association of Mexican-American, held at El Paso, Texas on July 12 and 13, 1952. This article stated, in part, that CLINTON JENCKS had attended this convention.

Page 14 of the August 24, 1957 issue of "People's World" contained an article entitled "Sponsors Back ROCKWELL KENT Testimonial". This article contained a list of names of individuals sponsoring the testimonial birthday celebration to be held for ROCKWELL KENT, the artist, on September 15, 1957. CLINTON JENCKS was listed as one of the sponsors.

Page 11 of the February 8, 1958 issue of "People's World" contains a news item reporting that CLINTON JENCKS will speak on the "JENCKS Case and Civil Liberties" under the auspices of the Jack London Club on February 14, 1958 at 2134 Allston Way, Berkeley, California.

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 To: SACs, San Francisco
 Los Angeles

From: Director, FBI

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
 PROPOSED HEARINGS AT SAN FRANCISCO AND LOS ANGELES

Re San Francisco airtel and Los Angeles airtel,
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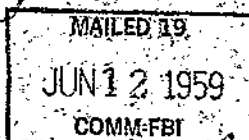
For your additional information, it has now been
 determined that the House Committee on Un-American Activities
 hearings will begin in San Francisco the first week of
 September, 1959, and will be held in Los Angeles during the
 second week in September, 1959.

NOTE ON YELLOW:

Proposed HCUA hearings in San Francisco and
 Los Angeles concerning communist infiltration in the
 educational field. Hearings were originally scheduled
 for 6-17-59, but were reportedly postponed due to the illness of
 Chairman Francis E. Walter. Los Angeles airtel of reference
 advised of postponement and Walter's illness.

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FROM SAC SAN FRANCISCO

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HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES, SAN FRANCISCO HEARINGS, IS-C. KATHERINE ELIZABETH HOLMGREN, AKA, SM-C. SUBJECT, A SCHOOL TEACHER, RESIDES 5815 SHERWOOD FORREST DRIVE, EL SOBRANTE, CALIFORNIA. SHE VOLUNTARILY APPEARED AT THE RICHMOND RESIDENT AGENCY ON THIS DATE TO DISCUSS PAST COMMUNIST PARTY ACTIVITIES AND HER SUBPOENA RECEIVED ON JUNE 5 LAST TO APPEAR BEFORE HCUA HEARINGS IN SAN FRANCISCO ON JUNE 17 NEXT. SUBJECT ADMITTED CP MEMBERSHIP 1937-1945 OR 1946. SUBJECT DOES NOT WANT HER HUSBAND, RODERICK HOLMGREN, TO KNOW OF HER VISIT TO THE FBI. SUBJECT BEING PRESSURED BY HUSBAND TO MAKE IMMEDIATE CONTACT WITH DEFENSE ATTORNEY RICHARD WERTHEIMER BEFORE HCUA HEARINGS, BUT ADVISES THAT SHE WILL DELAY CONTACTING HIM UNTIL WEEKEND OF JUNE 13-14 NEXT, UNDER PRETENSE OF DESIRING TO FIRST CONTACT LOCAL ATTORNEY AND STATE ASSEMBLYMAN S. C. MASTERSON. SHE REQUESTED THIS OFFICE TO CONTACT HCUA AND ADVISE THEM OF HER COOPERATION WITH THE FBI. SHE STATED SHE DOES NOT DESIRE TO BE CONTACTED DIRECTLY BY THE HCUA REPRESENTATIVE AT HOME BECAUSE OF HER HUSBANDS ATTITUDE AND HIS ADAMANT REFUSAL TO COOPERATE IN SUCH MATTERS. SHE REQUESTED THAT IF HCUA IS DESIROUS OF CONTACTING HER THAT ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE THROUGH A PERSONAL FRIEND, [REDACTED] PHONE BEACON 4-7827, RICHMOND, CALIFORNIA, IN ORDER THAT HER HUSBAND WILL NOT BECOME AWARE OF

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HER COOPERATION WITH THE GOVERNMENT. SHE STATED HER MOTIVE FOR COMING WAS DUE TO HER CURRENT EMPLOYMENT AS A SCHOOL TEACHER AND THAT SHE DID NOT WANT TO RECEIVE ANY PUBLICITY WHICH USUALLY ACCOMPANIES HCUA HEARINGS ON SUBVERSIVE MATTERS. SAN FRANCISCO IS FURNISHING THIS INFORMATION BY RADIOGRAM IN ORDER THAT THE BUREAU CAN ADVISE HCUA, IN VIEW OF SUBJECTS REQUEST. IF THE BUREAU DESIRES SF TO ADVISE HCUA LOCALLY, PLEASE ADVISE. OTHERWISE, NO ACTION TO BE TAKEN.

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Richard Aron, chief counsel, HCUA, advised 6/11/59 - Hearings to be postponed until Sept. 1st 1959 because of chain of Walter being ill. Hearings will be held in San Francisco 1st week in September & following week in Los Angeles.

CC--MR. BELMONT

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)
 FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-1664)
 SUBJECT: HCUA PROPOSED HEARINGS
JUNE 1959

WILLIAM A. WHEELER, West Coast Representative, HCUA, Los Angeles, today advised that pursuant to instructions telephonically received from the Committee in Washington, D.C., the Los Angeles and San Francisco hearings commencing 6/17/59 will be indefinitely postponed. He stated that Chairman FRANCIS E. WALTER was recently released from the hospital and will be unable to attend the hearings and it is for this reason that the hearings were postponed.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (62-7682)

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HCUA held hearings in Pittsburgh, Pa., on 3/10, 11, 12/59. These hearings have been published in the following three parts: -

1. ~~Current Strategy and Tactics of Communists in the United States (Greater Pittsburgh Area - Part 1)~~
2. ~~Problems of Security in Industrial Establishments Holding Defense Contracts (Greater Pittsburgh Area - Part 2)~~
3. ~~Problems Arising in Cases of Denaturalization and Deportation of Communists (Greater Pittsburgh Area - Part 3)~~

Two sets of this publication are enclosed for the Bureau, five sets for Pittsburgh and two sets for New York.

The Bureau instructions pertaining to this review are set out below:

Current Bureau instructions direct the Washington Field Office to obtain transcripts of the hearings, to forward them to the office covering the locality of the hearings and to advise the Bureau when this has been done. The office covering the locality of the hearings should thoroughly review these transcripts upon their receipt, advise the Bureau of the identities of each person mentioned and advise of their subversive activity unless such information is currently in Bureau's possession. Such data should be submitted under the caption of the various individuals identified. These memoranda must contain a statement as to

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whether or not the individual has been the subject of Bureau investigation and as to what action is being taken on any new information developed.

In those instances where an individual has been investigated by the Bureau and the new information obtained does not warrant additional investigation, you should again give consideration to requesting Bureau authority to interview the individual. Further, you should submit your recommendations regarding interview of any "friendly witnesses."

In those instances where a person testifies about an individual residing within another division, it is your responsibility to advise the appropriate office of the nature of the information and of the Bureau's instructions.

For your information and guidance, upon receipt of transcripts of testimony from the Washington Field Office, you are directed to advise the Bureau of the status of your review within one week's time. Thereafter, you will be requested to submit weekly letters advising of the status of your review until the project is completed and necessary action has been taken in accordance with Bureau instructions.

The office covering the locality where the hearings are held should submit a final letter advising of the completion of the review of the testimony. This letter should contain a statement regarding number of witnesses testifying, the number of persons identified as communists, the fact that the Bureau has been advised under individual caption of the information furnished by "friendly witnesses," that recommendations have been forwarded to the Bureau regarding interview with "friendly witnesses" and that recommendations have been forwarded to the Bureau under individual caption regarding additional investigation or the advisability of interviewing these individuals.

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TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT

DATE: June 2, 1959

FROM : MR. J. F. BLAND

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SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA)
 PROPOSED HEARINGS
 LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA
 JUNE, 1959
 REGARDING COMMUNIST INFILTRATION
 IN TEACHING PROFESSION

Reference is made to my memorandum to you dated 5-6-59. Referenced memorandum recommended that blind memoranda regarding El school-teachers be referred to Mr. DeLoach for his consideration. The recommendation was approved and the matter was handled by Mr. DeLoach with Dick Arens, Staff Director of House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA), on 5-11-59. The blind memoranda contained only public source information concerning individuals tentatively scheduled to be subpoenaed by HCUA during hearings in June, 1959, regarding present and past Communist Party members employed as schoolteachers throughout California.

The Los Angeles Office has submitted ten additional blind memoranda containing only public source information concerning additional individuals tentatively scheduled to be subpoenaed by HCUA during the above-mentioned hearings.

RECOMMENDATION:

The enclosed blind memoranda containing public source information only regarding ten schoolteachers be referred to Mr. DeLoach for his consideration in this matter.

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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Bland
- 1 - Mr. Higgins
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TO : Director, FBI
FROM : SAC, San Francisco (100-36985)

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
INFORMATION CONCERNING

[redacted] advised on 6/5/59 that MICKEY LIMA, Chairman, CP Northern California, revealed he had been subpoenaed by HCUA for hearings in San Francisco. According to informant, LIMA requested BEN DOBBS and DOROTHY HEALY of Los Angeles to give him a memo of their experiences before the committee. LIMA also instructed DOBBS to have the person who had been "touring the country with this committee" to also get in touch with LIMA. LIMA pointed out that he is leaving for New York this week and should this person come to the San Francisco area during that time, he should contact AUBREY GROSSMAN. GROSSMAN is an attorney with whom LIMA has frequent contact.

If possible, Los Angeles is requested to advise the Bureau and San Francisco the identity of this individual referred to above.

"Peoples World"

On 6/8/59 SF 1050-S* advised that PHILIP CONNELLY, PW staff writer from Los Angeles, contacted AL RICHMOND, Executive Editor of the PW, and mentioned that the Supreme Court decision regarding LLOYD BARENBLATT was a "very bad decision" as it practically legalized the HCUA against the educational field. CONNELLY stated the decision did everything they had anticipated it would not do and that at a meeting held in the Los Angeles area on the previous Friday night, WILKINSON (ph)

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was most optimistic concerning the then anticipated decision. CONNELLY observed that everything that had been planned defense-wise is completely cancelled and that there is a state of complete hysteria in the Los Angeles area due to the BARENBLATT decision.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-36985) 9-1043 9803 RDDISC

RE: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
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SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION
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Handbills were distributed on 6/8/59 at the entrance to the University of California, Berkeley, protesting the House Committee hearings scheduled for San Francisco on June 17, 18 and 19, 1959. These handbills indicate they are put out by the Emergency Committee; Students for Educational Freedom. They protest the hearing and urge the following actions:

1. Attend the hearings at the Board of Supervisors Chambers, San Francisco City Hall, on June 17, 18 and 19, 1959.
2. Join the picket line at the San Francisco City Hall during the above mentioned three days. They indicate that the picket lines will form at 9:00 a.m. on the above mentioned days and that rides to the City Hall will leave from Stiles Hall, Dana and Bancroft Streets, Berkeley, California, at 8:00 a.m.
3. Sign the petition to be mailed to all Bay Area legislators.
4. Write a letter to your Congressman and local newspapers.

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5. Help our committee; information can be obtained by calling THornwall 3-2480, THornwall 8-5620 and THornwall 1-0100.

A check of the reverse telephone directory indicates that the above telephone numbers are listed as follows:

THornwall 3-2480: Listed to [redacted] [redacted] Berkeley, California. San Francisco indices contain no identifiable information concerning [redacted]

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THornwall 8-5620: Listed to [redacted] [redacted] Berkeley, California. [redacted] is subject of Bufile 100-429171; SF File 100-44296. San Francisco file reflects that in completing DD Form 98 with the U. S. Army Recruiting Station, Oakland, California, [redacted] stated that he had attended a few open and public meetings and social gatherings of the Independent Socialist League and Socialist Workers Party.

THornwall 1-0100: Listed to [redacted] Berkeley, California. [redacted] is subject of Bufile 100-419835; SF File 100-40647. During the Fall Semester, 1958-59, at the University of California, Berkeley, [redacted] was publicly known [redacted] University of California Chapter of the Young People's Socialist League. On 6/11/58 he attended a special meeting of the San Francisco Bay Area Branch of the Independent Socialist League. In February 1958 he was [redacted] [redacted] Young Socialist League National Executive Committee.

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SOURCE: Unknown individual gave handbill to SA [redacted] [redacted] 6/8/59.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-1664)

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DATE OF REVIEW 3/8/82RE: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
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Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau 6/9/59.

[redacted] on 6/10/59 advised that FRANK WILKINSON, Executive Secretary, CCPAF, 617 N. Larchmont Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif., left Los Angeles, Calif., on or about 4/28/59 for a multiple stop national tour for the purpose of arousing defense for the Supreme Court Civil Liberties decisions. WILKINSON actively participated against the HCUA in Chicago in May, 1959. He traveled a distance of 12,000 miles in 13 States and 23 cities, including New York, Philadelphia, Washington, D. C., Princeton, Providence, Boston, Chicago, South Bend, Detroit, Toledo, Cleveland, St. Louis, and Denver, in his campaign against the Committee and in defense of the United States Supreme Court. He actively worked with RICHARD CRILEY, Executive Secretary, Chicago Committee to Defend Democratic Rights, 189 W. Madison St., Chicago.

WILKINSON returned to Los Angeles on or about 5/31/59 and immediately plunged into activities in opposition to the proposed HCUA hearing which was scheduled in San Francisco on 6/17/59 and Los Angeles on 6/22/59.

[redacted] on 6/10/59 advised information had been received that WILKINSON was in San Francisco on or about 6/7/59 where he engaged in assisting in the formation of a

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Teachers Defense Committee. Informant advised CLINTON E. JENCKS and his wife had been designated to co-ordinate the activities of these teachers living in the Bay area who had been subpoenaed to appear before the HCUA on or about 6/17/59. ~~X~~ ~~X(ES)~~ (U)

WILLIAM A. WHEELER, West Coast Representative, HCUA, Los Angeles, on 6/10/59, advised the hearing scheduled by the Committee for San Francisco on 6/17/59 was postponed and is now tentatively reset for 9/1/59. He stated subpoenas which had been issued will be continued and those individuals who received subpoenas will be appropriately notified.

It is believed the individual referred to by MICKEY LIMA, Chairman, CP Northern Calif., is FRANK WILKINSON. ~~X~~ ~~X(ES)~~ (U)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (100-36985)

RE: HCUA. HEARINGS
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION, 6/17/59

Former [] advises he is subpoenaed to testify at above hearing. States he has insisted that Committee, after swearing him in, permit him to make an opening statement. Plans to praise the work of HCUA and "blast" former President TRUMAN for his criticism of the Committee.

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Former [] is to testify in open session that ALVIN MURRAY WHITE, Santa Clara University instructor, is former CP member who quit the Party in order to continue teaching. WHITE will then be called as witness in open hearings. Other witnesses, members of the teaching profession with Communist backgrounds, reportedly are to appear as witnesses before closed session. Former [] apparently is the only "friendly" witness.

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Barenblatt was convicted of contempt of Congress for refusing to answer questions in House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA) hearing. He appealed his conviction to the Supreme Court which affirmed his conviction.

Barenblatt contended:

- 1) Congress, in authorizing the HCUA, was too vague in establishing the limitations on the Committee's jurisdiction.
- 2) He was not adequately apprised of the pertinency of the questions put to him.
- 3) These questions infringed his right to freedom of speech protected by the First Amendment.

The majority opinion of Justice Harlan, concurred in by Frankfurter, Clark, Whittaker, and Stewart, holds that investigation of communist activities was included in the authority Congress intended to confer on the HCUA, that Barenblatt was well aware of the purpose of the Committee's inquiry, and that the inquiry pertained to a valid legislative purpose. Lastly, the majority holds that the First Amendment does not afford a witness the right to resist inquiry in all circumstances but that the courts must balance the competing private and public interests at stake. Here the Government's interest, based on self-protection, outweighs the individual's interests.

The dissenting Justices Black, Douglas, Brennan, and Chief Justice Warren hold that the authorization establishing the HCUA violates the Due Process clause of the Fifth Amendment, that the activities of the Committee in compelling answers to their questions abridges freedom of speech in violation of the First Amendment and the chief aim and purpose of the HCUA is to try, convict, and punish witnesses, which has the effect of a bill of attainder.

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These decisions, as well as a companion decision in the Watkins case, concerning which a separate memorandum is being submitted, are important decisions in the security field. The Barenblatt case was the first in which the Court ruled on a contempt of Congress case in which the defense was based on the First Amendment.

In *Watkins*, the Court, in a majority opinion written by Chief Justice Warren, considered the contempt of Congress and reviewed the facts and the pertinency of the questions and the scope of the investigation. Not explained to Watkins, the decision criticized the vagueness of the resolution authorizing the HCUA and mentioned, while not applying to the case, the First Amendment. The majority in the Barenblatt case deals squarely with both points, holding that the authorization gave the HCUA the power to inquire in the field of communism, and that the individual right of freedom of speech must be balanced against the Government's interest, here the right of self-preservation.

Based on the facts in the Barenblatt case, it does not appear, however, that the decision will have any specific effect on the Bureau's investigations in the security field.

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None. This is being submitted for information.

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Barenblatt is not in Security Index. He was born 3-14-23 at Dr. Verna, New York. He graduated in 1944 from the College of the City of New York and later attended the University of Michigan Graduate School, where he received a Ph.D. in psychology at Vassar College, New York, in 1947. He is self-employed as a psychologist.

Subject was identified by a witness before the HCUA as a member of the Haldane Communist Party (CP) Club at the University of Michigan during late 1940's. Reliable informants have stated subject was member American Veterans Committee, University of Michigan, 1947-50; member American Progressive Citizens of Michigan, 1947-49; member executive board of University of Michigan Council of Arts, Sciences and Professions, 1949-50; member Young Progressives of America; and Progressive Party of Michigan, 1951.

Judicial Proceedings:

Subject was subpoenaed before a subcommittee of the HCUA on 6-28-54 and questioned regarding his CP activities while attending the University of Michigan. He refused to answer questions on grounds set forth in a lengthy memorandum he was allowed to file with the subcommittee. He attacked the jurisdiction of the Committee to ask any questions or conduct any inquiry based principally on the First Amendment and the prohibition against bills of attainder. He was indicted for contempt of Congress and on 3-15-56 was tried, convicted, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment and a \$250 fine. His conviction was affirmed on 1-3-57 by the Court of Appeals, but the Court of Appeals' judgment was vacated by the Supreme Court on 6-24-57 and the case was remanded to the Court of Appeals for further consideration in the light of the decision in the Watkins case. The Court of Appeals reaffirmed the conviction on 1-16-58. The Supreme Court granted a petition for a writ of certiorari and oral argument was held 11-18-58.

The Supreme Court yesterday, 6-8-59, affirmed Barenblatt's conviction in a 5-to-4 decision. The majority, consisted of Justices Harlan, Frankfurter, Clark, Whittaker, and Stewart. Justice Black

wrote a dissenting opinion which was concurred in by Justice Douglas and Chief Justice Warren. A separate dissension was also prepared by Justice Brennan.

Majority Opinion:

Justice Harlan, who wrote the majority opinion, points out that Barenblatt's contentions resolve into three propositions:

- 1) Rule XI (which authorizes the HCUA to conduct investigations and compel testimony) is too vague in delineating the Committee's jurisdiction.
- 2) He was not adequately apprised of the pertinency of the questions to the subject of the inquiry.
- 3) The questions infringed his rights protected by the First Amendment (Freedom of speech).

With respect to items 1 and 2 above, Barenblatt cited the Watkins case.

In dealing with point 1, the majority held that the Watkins case did not state the proposition that vagueness of Rule XI vitiated the investigative authority conferred on the HCUA by Congress. Justice Harlan stated that the conviction was reversed in the Watkins case solely on the ground that his refusals to answer were justified because the requirement that questions asked be pertinent to the question under inquiry had not been satisfied. According to the Court, the history of the HCUA in the House of Representatives shows that the investigation of communist activities generally, and the attendant use of compulsory processes, was included in the authority Congress intended to confer on the HCUA.

With respect to the second of Barenblatt's contentions, the Court points out that Barenblatt raised no objection on the grounds of pertinency at the time the questions were put to him. The Court states that the facts show that Barenblatt was well aware of the Committee's authority and purpose and the subject matter of the inquiry had been identified at the beginning of the investigation as communist infiltration into the field of education.

...of the Court, the Court said that although the Government in some circumstances protects an individual from being compelled to disclose his associational relationships, it does not offer a right of privacy in all circumstances. The majority... private and public... The...

Justice Brennan's Dissent:

Justice Brennan stated that by dissenting, he states his belief that the investigation of Barenblatt violated the Constitution in several respects:

- 1) Rule XI violates the procedural requirements of the Due Process clause of the Fifth Amendment in that it is too vague and nebulous.
- 2) Compelling answers to the questions asked of Barenblatt abridged his freedom of speech and association in contravention of the Fifth Amendment.
- 3) The Committee proceedings were part of a legislative program to stigmatize and punish by public identification and exposure. The Committee was, thus, improperly seeking to try, convict, and punish suspects, a task which the Constitution expressly denies to Congress.

Justice Brennan's Dissent:

Justice Brennan holds that the record reveals no purpose for the investigation of Barenblatt except exposure purely for the sake of exposure. He states that an investigation in which the activities of law-making and law-evaluating are subjected to public exposure of individuals no more is outside the constitutional limits of congressional inquiry.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

DATE: 6/23/59

FROM : SAC, ATLANTA (100-5762)

SUBJECT: HCUA HEARINGS
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

This is to advise that appropriate memoranda have been prepared on all individuals identified through hearings of the HCUA, Atlanta, as having subversive connections.

These memoranda have been prepared, submitted to the Bureau, as well as to the respective offices where these individuals reside, for processing by those offices in accordance with existing Bureau instructions.

These respective offices have advised that appropriate action has been taken in all instances except on nine individuals.

The Atlanta Office will, upon receipt of information to the effect that these nine individuals have been considered in light of the existing instructions relating to them, advise the Bureau and will total at that time the desired figures as to witnesses testifying and persons identified Communists.

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Re: Houston letter to Bureau, dated 1/20/59,
entitled, "HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN
ACTIVITIES; INFORMATION; SUBVERSIVE CONTROL".
Birmingham letter to Houston, dated 5/27/59,
(Interoffice).

DAVID EARLE MELVILLE was one of the persons named
by WILLIAM W. WHEELER, House Committee on Un-American
Activities, as one of the persons who formerly resided in
Houston that the Committee had under consideration for subpoena,
in event the Committee held hearings in Houston in June,
1959.

The Birmingham Office advised by letter dated
May 27, 1959, that on May 14, 1959, [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted]
[redacted] DAVID EARLE MELVILLE. She stated [redacted]

[redacted] that MELVILLE had been killed in an
automobile wreck near Spokane, Washington, about five years
ago.

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[redacted] was not advised as to the reason for
determining MELVILLE's whereabouts, or as to the identity of
the Agent contacting her.

Inasmuch as MELVILLE has been reported to be dead,
and secondarily, since no further information has come to the
attention of the Houston Office concerning the proposed
Committee hearings in Texas in June, it is not felt that
further action to verify MELVILLE's death would be justified.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

DATE: 6/19/59

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-1664)

SUBJECT: HCUA.

Re WFO let to Bureau dated 5/29/59 which sets out Bureau instructions with reference to the published report of HCUA covering the hearings at Los Angeles in Sept. 1958 and February 1959.

The HCUA report is still being reviewed by this office; and it is estimated that it will take three to four weeks to complete the project of reporting results of the review in compliance with Bureau instructions.

The Bureau will be advised weekly regarding the status of this project.

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RE: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
PROPOSED HEARINGS, JUNE, 1959
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Re Los Angeles airtel to Bureau 6/10/59.

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- (1 - LA 100-57186)
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- (1 - LA 100-24069)
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- (1 - LA 100-54725)
- (1 - RUTH BISHOP)
- (1 - LA 100-29670)
- (1 - 100-47716) (SONIA POJAR BRAVERMAN)
- (1 - LA 100-21796)
- (1 - 100-418648) (ROBERT DUFF BRENT)
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- (1 - LA 100-52605)
- (1 - 100-408696) [REDACTED]
- (1 - LA 100-43536)
- (1 - 100-402693) (JOHN W. DICKINSON)
- (1 - LA 100-100-44325)
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(1 - LA 100-20681)

(1 - 100-268064)(BARBARA SNYDER MOREL)

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(1 - 100-371639)(PHILIP GEORGE NASH)

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(1 - 100-402297)(ROBIN WILNER)
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On 6/10/59 WILLIAM A. WHEELER, West Coast Representative, HCUA, Los Angeles, orally advised he had received instructions from Washington, D. C., to the effect that the San Francisco hearing set for 6/17/59 has been rescheduled for 9/1/59, whereas the Los Angeles hearing scheduled for 6/22/59 has been scheduled for 9/15/59. WHEELER stated all those individuals served will be notified on or about Monday, 6/15/59, to the effect that their subpoenas have been extended until September, 1959.

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The Los Angeles Division, in order to assure compliance with Bureau instructions, opened cases on each of those individuals for whom a subpoena was issued and a deadline of 6/17/59 was set. This deadline has been rescinded and the cases will be closed administratively to be reopened on or about 8/1/59, at which time Bureau instructions regarding HCUA hearings will be complied with.

For the information of the Bureau, the following individuals were served with a subpoena on or about 6/5/59 to appear before the Committee in Los Angeles on the date indicated:

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ARKIN, BERNICE	22
BARR, DORIS	24
BISHOP, RUTH	22
BRENT, ROBERT DUFF	22
[REDACTED]	23
COLLINS, HAROLD	22
[REDACTED]	22
DICKINSON, JOHN W.	22
EHRlich, SYLVIA NIDEN	22
ELBER, DAVID	22
FEYER, BERNARD	23
FEYER, SYLVIA SCHIFF	23
[REDACTED]	23
FORREST, JOHN KENNETH	23
FORREST, RUTH	23
[REDACTED]	23
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[REDACTED]	24
[REDACTED]	24
HANSON, LOLA PATRICIA	23
HOWARD, GENEVA MELTON	23
[REDACTED]	23
[REDACTED]	23
LAKE, ALBERT	24
LEPOWSKY, ABRAHAM ROBERT	23
[REDACTED]	23
LEVINE, RUTH LEVITT	23
LOESER, CORNELIUS J.	23

MELINKOFF, PEARL LUKOFF	23
MOREL, BARBARA SNYDER	24
[REDACTED]	24
NASH, GEORGE PHILIP	23
[REDACTED]	24
PORTER, ELIZABETH MATTIE	24
RICHARDSON, DR. CARROLL	24
[REDACTED]	24
RODNEY, CLARA WEINSTEIN	24
[REDACTED]	22
[REDACTED]	24
[REDACTED]	24
SCHORR, BERNARD	23
SEVELL, GERTRUDE SUSSMAN	24
SHAFFER, MORTON MANUEL	22
[REDACTED]	22
[REDACTED]	22
SKOLNICK, SAMSON	22
SLOAT, FLORENCE MURIEL	23
STEIN, JACOB MEYER	24
STRANG, GERALD VERE	23
THORNE, JOHN ERNEST	23
[REDACTED]	24
VINCENT, THEODORE JOSEPH	24
WELLBAUM, SAMUEL	24
WILLIAMS, DAVID ALDEN	24
WILNER, ROBIN	24
[REDACTED]	24

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The following individuals were not served, although a subpoena had been issued for them to appear on the date indicated:

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BANTA, BEN H.	22
[REDACTED]	22
BRAVERMAN, SONIA POJAR	22
CARTER, EDITH	22
HERSHEY, RUTH	22
[REDACTED]	24
MINKUS, LIBBIE	24
[REDACTED]	24
SHORR, RUTH	22

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Prior to 9/15/59 reports or letters will be submitted to the Bureau on those persons for whom subpoenas have actually been issued. It is anticipated that there will be additions and deletions to the foregoing lists of names.

For the information of the San Francisco Division, [REDACTED] no longer lives within the area of the Los Angeles Division, but has moved to the Sacramento, Calif., area and can be located c/o [REDACTED] Sacramento 4, according to Mr. WHEELER. No residence address is as yet known.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: June 23, 1959

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: RICHARD ARENS D.C.I.

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 McGuire _____
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Mr. Arens is currently the Staff Director of the House Committee on Un-American Activities. He is very cooperative. Arens has requested that copies of the Director's speeches and articles be mailed to him. There is nothing in Bufiles to preclude this. If there are no objections, Mr. Arens will be placed on the Special Correspondents' List.

ACTION:

As indicated above.

1 - Mr. Jones

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Arens placed
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI (61-7582)

DATE: 6/24/59

FROM : SAC, Pittsburgh (100-13295)

SUBJECT: 0 HCUA

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Relet, WFO to Bureau, 6/12/59, with enclosed for the Bureau, New York and Pittsburgh three pamphlets containing the results of HCUA hearings held at Pittsburgh, Pa., on 3/10,11,12/59. These pamphlets are identified as follows:

1. Current Strategy and Tactics of Communists in the United States (Greater Pittsburgh Area - Part 1)
2. Problems of Security in Industrial Establishments Holding Defense Contracts (Greater Pittsburgh Area - Part 2)
3. Problems Arising in Cases of Denaturalization and Deportation of Communists (Greater Pittsburgh Area - Part 3)

Set forth hereinafter are the names of individuals residing within the Pittsburgh Division and within territories covered by other Divisions who were mentioned in the aforementioned testimony. Letters will be forwarded to the Bureau (with copies for other offices where appropriate) under individual case captions concerning these individuals with the exception of those marked deceased.

Inasmuch as New York has received copies of the aforementioned pamphlets and Bureau instructions regarding the handling of this material with relet, UACB, Pittsburgh will furnish New York under individual case caption only the pertinent page references concerning individuals residing within the New York Division in order to eliminate the recopying of information from the pamphlets.

- ② - Bureau (RM)
1 - New York (100-115609) (Info) (RM)
1 - Pittsburgh

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The Bureau's attention is directed to the pamphlet "Problems of Security in Industrial Establishments Holding Defense Contracts," pages 424-437, wherein is set forth "a compilation prepared by the research unit of the staff of the Committee on Un-American Activities which contains the listing of persons who now hold, or have held in the recent past, key positions in the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers Union and who have by competent, live witnesses under oath been identified as members of the Communist Party." UACB, Pittsburgh will not submit individual letters concerning the individuals listed in this compilation (with the exception of FRANK J. DONNER, HAROLD BRINEY, THOMAS J. FITZPATRICK, HYMAN LUMER, THOMAS J. QUINN and THOMAS B. WRIGHT) as testimony concerning the activities of these individuals was not offered during the HCUA hearings at Pittsburgh and these individuals were not subpoenaed to testify. In addition, Pittsburgh does not plan to submit individual letters concerning these individuals mentioned by members of the HCUA (see "Current Strategy and Tactics of Communists in the United States," pages 333-334, regarding individuals connected with the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee) or individuals who were only casually mentioned by members of the HCUA or by witnesses before the Committee.

A weekly letter will be submitted to the Bureau concerning the status of this project until it is completed and necessary action has been taken in accordance with Bureau instructions.

The following individuals residing within the Pittsburgh Division were mentioned in the aforementioned HCUA testimony:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Bufile</u>	<u>Pittsburgh file</u>
Matthew Ahel	100-391683	100-9539
Isaac Bay	100-327521	100-7717
Harold Briney	100-242317	100-4214
Benjamin Careathers	100-10516	100-269
[REDACTED]	100-12380	100-675
Bessie Chosky	100-415034	100-10191
Rachel Cooper	100-49508	100-1960
Patrick Cush (deceased)	100-10553	100-1196
Anne Devunich	100-414263	100-1023
[REDACTED]	100-35486	100-9152

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Bufile</u>	<u>Pittsburgh file</u>
Joseph Rudiak	100-362099	100-9173
Gus Santes	100-387220	100-10932
Hymen Schlesinger	100-179494	100-4137
Viola Schmidt	100-366159	100-8621
Maurice Schindler	100-125019	100-4003
Charles Soldo (deceased)	100-396964	100-8483
Alex Staber	100-124110	100-3443
Alex Steinberg	100-64676	100-2443
[REDACTED]	100-362882	100-7763
Joseph Takacs	100-323302	100-7914
Allan Thomas	100-365935	100-9089
[REDACTED]	100-361331	100-8890
Ted Wright	100-14735	100-1661

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The following individuals residing within territories covered by other offices were mentioned in this testimony:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Bufile</u>	<u>Origin</u>	<u>Pittsburgh file</u>
[REDACTED]	100-365559	New York	100-9449
Nathan Albert	100-46941	Philadelphia	100-1576
[REDACTED]	100-366590	New York	100-9305
William Albertson	65-38100	New York	65-749
Arthur Bartl	105-355281	Chicago	105-83
Daisy Bartl	100-199310	Chicago	100-8585
Henry Beitscher	100-2525	Philadelphia	100-10729
Calvin Brook	100-296481	Chicago	100-7330
Frank J. Donner	100-25688	New Haven	100-12478
James H. Dolsen	100-24861	Philadelphia	100-273
Thomas J. Fitzpatrick	100-326165	New York	100-2390
Clark Foreman	Unknown	New York	100-0
Zalmon H. Garfield	100-363661	Philadelphia	100-9857
[REDACTED]	100-368853	Los Angeles	100-9674
David Grant	100-51168	New York	100-1161
[REDACTED]	100-368984	Phoenix	100-9687
Lila Grushka	100-372169	Phoenix	100-9686
Roy Bannerman Hudson	100-7602	San Francisco	100-5686
Charles Milton Kerns Jr.	100-355286	New York	100-8869
Nick Lazaris	100-202669	Washington Field	100-4142

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Bufile</u>	<u>Pittsburgh file</u>
Thomas Flanagan	100-189966	100-4582
Herbert Glickman	100-202357	100-4134
William Hamlet	100-57701	100-1964
Rebecca Horowitz	100-49255	100-1096
Harry Hosack	100-356891	100-8908
[REDACTED]	100-365945	100-9729
Nick Kelich	100-11288	100-5752
Katherine Kemenovich	100-391805	100-8111
Vincent Kemenovich	100-7657	100-192
Elmer Kish	100-48157	100-1194
Gabor Kish	100-46268	100-1193
Mary Kish	100-327944	100-7909
Ruth Kish	100-369865	100-8090
Helen Kumpus (deceased)	100-366212	100-9479
William Kumpus	100-365888	100-9379
Robert C. Kirkwood	100-192930	100-9164
Rudolph Kranys	100-362439	100-8909
Genne Kuhn	100-260690	100-8549
<i>Edmund</i> Edward Lange	100-337437	100-8377
Mark Lovett	100-259137	100-7254
Agnes Mankin	100-250432	100-6368
Joseph Mankin (deceased)	100-158914	100-1192
[REDACTED]	100-63027	100-6468
Pearl Mitchell	100-369120	100-9867
Margaret Nelson	100-426476	100-9458
Steve Nelson	100-16847	100-1763
[REDACTED]	100-340062	100-8095
Herbert Nusser	100-49781	100-1965
Shirley Nusser	100-387468	100-7718
John Nelson	100-287613	100-7151
James Quinn	100-380214	100-9893
Norma Quinn	100-395894	100-10797
Thomas Quinn	100-362956	100-9054
Alex Rakosi	100-21374	100-10288
[REDACTED]	100-398500	100-10428
J. B. Richardson	100-377852	100-9122
Alma Robinson	100-385727	100-9459
Joseph "Sonny" Robinson	100-356138	100-8802
Miriam Rose Schultz	100-215102	100-1391

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Bufile</u>	<u>Origin</u>	<u>Pittsburgh file</u>
Ida Mary Lewis	100-383280	New York	100-9146
Hyman Lumer	100-71811	New York	100-13535
Milo Donald Mamula	100-349869	Miami	100-8313
[REDACTED]	100-384207	Boston	100-9447
Anne Perpich McTernan	100-341260	Los Angeles	100-6836
Andrew Rudolph Onda	100-9339	New York	100-3978
[REDACTED]	100-393600	New York	100-10737
[REDACTED]	100-370769	New York	100-10180
[REDACTED]	100-201171	New York	100-9044
Sonya Sartisky	100-383463	New York	100-9043
[REDACTED]	100-392562	Cleveland	100-11041
Harold Spencer	100-38284	Philadelphia	100-6416
Bessie Steinberg	100-250643	New York	100-4218
[REDACTED]	100-359871	Chicago	100-8905
[REDACTED]	Unknown	Chicago	100-10073
Thomas B. Wright	Unknown	New York	100-0
[REDACTED]	100-363194	New York	100-9176
Thomas Arthur Shields	100-6906	New York	100-10096

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

DATE: 6/25/59

FROM : SAC, SAN JUAN (100-6340)

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UNAMERICAN ACTIVITIES
SUBVERSIVE CONTROL
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Remylet dated 5/11/59.

Contacts with [redacted]
San Juan, Puerto Rico, and [redacted]
[redacted] San Juan, have developed no information
concerning the plans of the HCUA. [redacted] said that he
expected GEORGE WILLIAMS, HCUA Investigator, to return
to Puerto Rico in June, this year, but has heard
nothing from him since his departure from Puerto Rico
in May.

The Bureau will be kept advised of any pertinent
developments in this matter.

- ② - Bureau
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To

☒ Director

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FILE # 61-7582

Att. Division 5

Title H. C. U. A.

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- ☐ Acknowledge
- ☐ Assign.....Reassign.....
- ☐ Bring file
- ☐ Call me
- ☐ Correct
- ☐ Deadline.....
- ☐ Deadline passed
- ☐ Delinquent
- ☐ Discontinue
- ☐ Expedite
- ☐ File
- ☐ For information
- ☐ Initial & return
- ☐ Leads need attention
- ☐ Return with explanation or notation as to action taken.

- ☐ Open Case
- ☐ Prepare lead cards
- ☐ Prepare tickler
- ☐ Recharge serials
- ☐ Return assignment card
- ☐ Return file
- ☐ Return serials
- ☐ Search and return
- ☐ See me
- ☐ Send Serials.....
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- ☐ Submit new charge-out
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- ☐ Type

Remylet to Bureau, 6/24/59.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : The Director

DATE: 6-10-59

FROM : J. P. Mohr

SUBJECT: The Congressional Record

Pages A4951-A4952, Congressman Doyle, (D) California, extended his remarks to include the dissenting decision (Mr. Justice Black, with whom the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Douglas concur, dissenting) by the Supreme Court in the case of Lloyd Barenblatt. Mr. Doyle pointed out that the majority of the Court affirmed the decision of the lower court in finding Barenblatt guilty of contempt for his refusal to answer certain questions of the House Un-American Activities Committee. Mr. Doyle stated "This Barenblatt decision appears to have cleared up some very important questions being asked both by proponents of the House Un-American Activities Committee and by opponents thereof. It deals rather extensively with the Watkins decision which has been relied upon since it was rendered about 2 years ago, especially by the Communists and those who opposed the committee for legal grounds for asking dissolution of the House Un-American Activities Committee." It is stated in the dissenting decision "The Un-American Activities Committee was created in 1938. It immediately conceived of its function on a grand scale as one of ferreting out subversives and especially of having them removed from Government jobs. - - - How well it has succeeded in its declared program of pitiless publicity and exposure is a matter of public record. It is enough to cite the experience of a Pe. A4951 man who masqueraded as a Communist for the FBI and who reported to this same committee that since 1952 when his membership became known he has been unable to hold any job." Mr. Doyle submitted excerpts from majority opinion of the Court in this case and such appears on pages 9346-9349.

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In the original of a memorandum captioned and dated as above, the Congressional Record for TUESDAY, 6-9-59 was reviewed and pertinent items were marked for the Director's attention. This form has been prepared in order that portions of a copy of the original memorandum may be clipped, mounted, and placed in appropriate Bureau case or subject matter files.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI (61-7582)

FROM : SAC, Pittsburgh (100-13295)

SUBJECT: HCUA

DATE: 7/1/59

Remylet, 6/24/59.

Concerning the status of this project at Pittsburgh, appropriate memoranda have been disseminated to individual case files of the 58 individuals who were mentioned during this HCUA testimony and who are Pittsburgh Office subjects. Letters will be submitted to the Bureau under the individual case captions of 54 of these individuals. Letters are not being submitted concerning 4 individuals who were listed as deceased in relet.

Since mylet of 6/24/59, one of these letters (ALEX STEINBERG, Bufile 100-64676) has been submitted to the Bureau.'

A letter concerning the status of this project will be submitted on 7/8/59.

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1 - Pittsburgh

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TO : Director, FBI

DATE: July 2, 1959

FROM : SAC, New Orleans

SUBJECT: JAMES ANDREW DOMBROWSKI
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OO: New Orleans

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES

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DATE 3/8/82 BY 5266/136

Re Atlanta letter to Bureau 6/23/59, in captioned matter, referring to HCUA hearings 7/29 - 31/58 at Atlanta, at which time CARL BRADEN testified that he was a field secretary with the SOUTHERN CONFERENCE EDUCATIONAL FUND, INC. (SCEF), and BRADEN identified JAMES A. DOMBROWSKI, Executive Secretary of the SCEF, in a photograph displayed to him (BRADEN) by the HCUA.

With reference to Bureau instructions concerning the field's handling of HCUA hearings, it is noted that the identity of each person mentioned in the hearings should be brought to the attention of the Bureau by the office where the hearings are held (in this instance, Atlanta), along with advice as to the person's subversive activities unless such information is currently in the Bureau's possession.

The Bureau is currently aware of DOMBROWSKI's subversive background and activities. DOMBROWSKI is a Communist Index Subject at New Orleans. It is not believed that information in referenced letter warrants any particular investigation of DOMBROWSKI since it is public information that DOMBROWSKI is Executive Secretary of the SCEF, and that CARL BRADEN is a field secretary of that organization.

The New Orleans Office has in the past recommended to the Bureau that DOMBROWSKI not be interviewed, and there has been no reason to change that recommendation since the last such recommendation of March 25, 1959.

In view of the foregoing, no further action is being taken in this matter by the New Orleans Office.

② - Bureau (RM)

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1 - Atlanta (100-5762) (RM)

2 - New Orleans

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582)

DATE: 7/2/59

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-1664)

SUBJECT: HCUA

Re Washington Field letter to Bureau dated 5/29/59 which sets out Bureau instructions relative to reporting results of Los Angeles' review of the transcript of testimony covering HCUA's hearings at Los Angeles on 9/2 - 5/58 and 2/24 - 25/59.

This project is receiving continuous attention by Los Angeles and it is estimated that it is approximately 30% complete at this time.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM ***** UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (61-7582) DATE: 6/29/59

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (62-1664)

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA)

Re Washington Field Office let to Bureau dated 5/29/59 wherein Los Angeles was furnished five sets of a three-part publication by HCUA entitled "The Southern California District of the Communist Party: Structure-Objectives-Leadership." This is the published transcript of testimony at the HCUA hearings at Los Angeles 9/2-5/58 and 2/24-25/59.

Relet also set out Bureau instructions for reviewing and reporting concerning the HCUA publication.

The review of the transcript reveals that various attorneys listed below appeared at the hearings as counsel representing one or more of the subpoenaed witnesses. The transcript did not reveal anything of a pertinent nature concerning these attorneys which has not been previously reported to the Bureau.

Bureau file numbers, where available, are set forth; and sufficient copies of this communication are being furnished for the Bufiles indicated.

Name
J. ALLAN FRANKEL
ROBERT W. KENNY

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- 23 - Los Angeles (100-55602 - HUGHES R. MANES)
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JEAN KIDWELL (PESTANA)	100-389985	100-33411
SEYMOUR MANDELL	365569	26520
BENJAMIN MARGOLIS	25130	19548
DANIEL MARSHALL	386894	40180
JOHN T. McTERNAN	77-29135	21993
LOREN MILLER	100-18291	4621
[REDACTED]	391271	30833
	70916	33412
ROSE ROSENBERG	379013	32591
WILLIAM M. SAMUELS	393680	40174
ROBERT J. SCHMORLEITZ	399823	43651
[REDACTED]	204170	18298
	389158	33926
	390540	35127
MORTINER MOGEL	352695	24402
ABRAHAM L. WIRIN	17242	4876

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The review of the transcript reveals, in addition to above, three additional attorneys who appeared as counsel at the hearings who have not been subjects of Bureau investigations, but concerning whom there appear to be a number of references in Los Angeles indices. These references will be reviewed and furnished the Bureau under individual caption. They are:

[REDACTED] HUGH R. MANES [REDACTED]

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No recommendation is being made that any of these individuals be interviewed.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

FROM : C. D. DeLoach

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
Request For Information

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DATE: 6-10-59

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 Mohr ☒
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On 6-9-59 at the request of Dick Arens, Staff Director of the HCUA, Edwards talked with Frank McNamara and Don Appel of the HCUA staff. At the direction of Chairman Walter, they are exploring the feasibility of having hearings with regard to subversives whose paintings and sculpture have been selected for exhibit in Moscow under the auspices of the United States Information Agency (USIA). McNamara advised that Chairman Walter had reported a letter from Wheeler Williams, President of the American Artists Professional League, Inc., with headquarters in New York. Williams referred to an item in the 3-31-59 issue of the "New York Herald Tribune" which allegedly was on the front page and referred to this art exhibit. Williams stated that the American Artists Professional League was bitterly opposed to having the art work of any "Commies" selected for this exhibit and he pledged the support of the league.

In this same connection there is attached a reprint from the Congressional Record issue of 6-3-59 containing a speech by Chairman Walter concerning the 49 paintings and works of sculpture selected for showing at the American National Exhibit at Moscow this summer.

The HCUA furnished Edwards a list of 21 names of artists on whom the HCUA has some questionable information. They wondered whether the Bureau would be able to assist them by checking these names and furnishing any information pertinent to placing any of these individuals in the Party either present or past membership and in line with the usual procedure of the committee they would like to have the names of any available witnesses who might serve that purpose.

According to McNamara three of the individuals on this list (Philip Evergood, Minna Harkavy and John Sloan) have previously been identified according to HCUA records as being in the Party, the latter two by [redacted]. They did not have readily available the identity of the individual who had placed Evergood there.

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It is suggested that the easiest way to handle this would be to have the Domestic Intelligence Division prepare appropriate blind memoranda which might contain information suitable for dissemination to the HCUA.

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1- Mr. Belmont (Enclosure)

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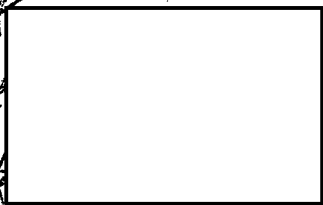
In addition to the foregoing specific request Don Appel of the staff asked whether the Bureau would be able to advise them whether it had knowledge of any painter or sculptor who has ever been definitely a Party member and who has actually been "broken" to divulge his activities. In asking for this Appel said to his knowledge he had never come across anyone in that profession. Edwards told these men that he would refer the matter to the Director and see what, if anything, we would be able to come up with in compliance with the committee's request.

The list of 21 names furnished is attached.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to Mr. Belmont for any compliance with the committee's request which is possible.

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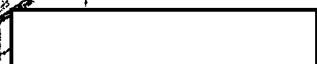
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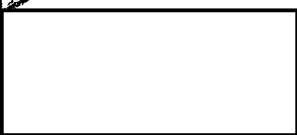
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AMERICAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION IN MOSCOW

(Mr. WALTER asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. WALTER. Mr. Speaker, on Sunday, May 31, the U.S. Information Agency announced that 49 paintings and works of sculpture had been selected for showing at the American National Exhibition in Moscow this summer. The art collection has already been crated and was scheduled to be shipped to the Soviet Union on the steamship *Finnisler*, which I understand is now on the high seas.

The 6-week American National Exhibition at which these works will be shown will be opened in Moscow's Sokolniki Park on July 25 by Vice President Nixon. It is billed by the USIA as containing "cultural, scientific, and technological exhibits designed to further Soviet understanding of life in America."

The USIA press announcement concerning the art collection lists the names of the 67 artists whose works will be displayed at the exhibition. In the 3 or 4 days which have transpired since the press announcement was distributed by USIA, I have requested the staff of the Committee on Un-American Activities to furnish me with information in the committee files on the artists whose work has been shipped to Moscow. I wish to emphasize that the information which I shall now reveal is not the result of any field investigation or even of an exhaustive check of all possible sources of information, but is the result of a routine check of committee files made on 67 people in the course of a few days' time.

This routine check, may I state, is a service which the Committee on Un-American Activities regularly renders to any executive agency of the Government which requests it.

Of the 67 artists whose works have been chosen for exhibition in Moscow, 24—a fraction more than 35 percent—have records of affiliation with Communist fronts and causes. Of these 24 there are 12 whose records appear to be relatively inconsequential because they involve connections with only one or two Communist fronts or causes, and include no affiliation for a period of 10 years or more.

This leaves 12, or one-third of the 67 artists, with significant records of affiliation with the Communist movement in this country. The routine check against the files of the House Committee on Un-American Activities indicates that these 12 artists have a minimum of 465 connections with Communist fronts and causes.

One of these artists, Max Weber, has been publicly identified as a Communist Party member. The affiliations of some of the others, however, are so extensive and of such a nature that they raise serious questions as to where their loyalty actually lies.

Three of them have been connected with Communist Party schools.

Six of them have publicly urged participation in the Communist Party's May parades.

Five of them have publicly recommended the election of known Communists to public office.

Three of them have contributed articles to, or openly supported, the Communist Daily Worker or its west coast counterpart, The People's World.

Eight of these artists have been members of the Communist John Reed Clubs.

Two of them have had their paintings offered as prizes for Daily Worker subscriptions.

Four of them defended Stalin's bloody Moscow purge trials of the late 1930's.

Four have contributed their art work to the Communist magazine The Liberator.

Two have similarly served Fight the publication of the Communist front, the American League Against War and Fascism and, later, of the American League for Peace and Democracy.

Three have done the same for Soviet Russia Today, another Communist magazine.

Two of them have been owners of the Communist publication, the Masses.

Sixteen have contributed their art work to the Communist magazine New Masses.

Thirteen have similarly served its successors, Masses and Mainstream.

Three have contributed art material to the Communist publication Jewish Life.

Twenty-six of these 67 artists have contributed their paintings to art exhibitions staged by Communist fronts: 12 to the China Aid Council, 5 to the Joint

Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee, 1 to People's Drama—a Communist Party theatrical agency—and 8 to the Communist-line weekly newspaper, The National Guardian.

Eleven of these artists signed the call to the American Artists Congress of 1936, one of the major art fronts set up by the Communist Party in this country.

Three of these artists have publicly defended V. J. Jerome, Communist Party cultural commissar, for delivering his speech, "Grasp the Weapon of Culture," at the 1950 convention of the U.S. Communist Party. This speech was one of the overt acts on which Jerome was subsequently indicted—and convicted—for conspiring to overthrow the Government of these United States by force and violence.

Just a short time ago two of these artists signed a public statement calling on the United States to completely reverse its foreign policy, particularly in regard to Formosa and Lebanon. This statement was, in effect, a call for United States surrender to Moscow.

Now, I should like to tell you a few things about some of these artists as individuals. First, let us consider the case of Jack Levine, who, the routine check made by our committee indicates, has been affiliated with at least 21 Communist fronts and causes. Levine's work, "Welcome Home," is being sent to Moscow to portray and impress the people of the Soviet Union with American culture.

A recent issue of the Communist Worker described this painting as a picture of a stuffed-shirt American general. Jack Levine himself has described this painting in the following words:

And no matter how commanding and impressive a general, he will be chewing. His wife, however smart and fashionably turned out, will be chewing. Everybody in the general's party will be chewing, as a gesture of kinship with the lower orders of mankind. What is more absurd than an august gathering abstractedly chewing their cuds * * * my thesis, that armies are a continuation of class snobbery.

So that there will be no doubt about Levine and the style and purpose of his art, I quote from a review of an exhibit of his works which was published in the Communist newspaper, The Worker, on April 10, 1955:

Jack Levine is an artist of social satire and social caricature. He paints dead souls in living bodies with devastating power and insight. He paints the men and women who would stifle humanity, starve mankind, brutalize the world for their own parasitic, selfish, greedy ends. He divests these people of their outer garments of wealth, position, and respectability and exposes the sham that covers the leering evil, the greed, the corruption of upper-class immorality and self-indulgence.

One cannot look at these canvases without experiencing the impact of their terrific power. The painting, The Trial, has deep political significance today as witchhunts and hysteria have made a mockery of court-room justice.

Throughout the exhibition it is more clear what Jack Levine hates. He says himself, "Those I love I simply leave out. A painter should do what he does best."

It is obvious from Levine's own words that he hates the U.S. general he has portrayed in "Welcome Home."

The Worker review of Levine's exhibit also stated:

One of the functions which art is expected to perform is to intensify man's emotions and sharpen his insights. Jack Levine has done this in a merciless exposure of corroding evil dressed in riches and respectability. He has created unforgettable faces expressive of corruption that grows and decays, of hypocritical souls wielding power—today

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This statement makes it clear that not only does Levine hate American generals but that, in his artwork, he follows the dictates of the world Communist conspiracy. Addressing the 21st congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union on January 27 of this year, Nikita Khrushchev made the following statement:

It is the duty of . . . painters to raise still higher the content and artistic level of their work, to continue as energetic assistants of the party and the state in the Communist education of the working people.

Writing in the Communist New Masses magazine in 1946—the magazine to which 16 of these artists have contributed—U.S. Communist Party Chairman William Z. Foster, said:

There must be a clear understanding that art is a weapon in the class struggle. Not only is art a weapon, but a very potent one as well. Moreover, rising revolutionary social classes instinctively realize the importance of art as a social weapon and have always forged their own art and used it to challenge that of the existing ruling class.

It is clear from these statements that neither Khrushchev nor Foster has any complaints as far as the work of Jack Levine is concerned. He uses his art as a weapon to arouse hatred of our free society and people considered representative of it.

His picture of the gum-chewing, "stuffed-shirt" American general will help the Kremlin convince its enslaved people that its vicious propaganda about American military leaders is true, and is supported even by the American people.

Another artist whose work the USIA has chosen to exhibit in Moscow is Ben Shahn, who has been affiliated with over 2 dozen Communist fronts and causes. Shahn has been repeatedly described in the Communist press as a "people's artist." Shahn is one of the artists in this group who recently signed a statement calling on the United States to reverse our policy of resisting Communist aggression.

A Daily Worker review of his paintings a number of years ago contained the following statement:

Shahn has always considered art as a medium for the communication of ideas and his ideas have always been progressive. (When used in the Communist press, "progressive" means Communist or pro-Communist). He is one of our finest artists and one of our best social painters.

The Communist newspaper's use of the word "our" in referring to Shahn is significant.

The People's World, west coast Communist Party newspaper, in April of

1955, described some of Shahn's paintings in a Los Angeles exhibit as follows:

His brilliant caustic social paintings . . . an acid portrait of a policeman, a sympathetic drawing of a miner . . . drawn by an artist who takes sides and expresses his viewpoint in a powerful style.

The same Communist newspaper in a 1948 review of an exhibition of Shahn's works made the following comment:

It is interesting to note, also, that posters such as "We Want Peace, Register, Vote," "For All These Rights We've Just Begun To Fight," and others are fine, qualitative examples of the work to the artist. . . . Here, simply and definitely, is an artist of the people.

During the 1948 election campaign Shahn put his talents to the use of the Communist-controlled Progressive Party by painting a campaign poster which mocked President Truman and his Republican opponent, former Governor Dewey of New York.

Still another artist chosen for the Moscow exhibit is Max Weber, the one who has been identified as a Communist Party member by Louis Budenz, former managing editor of the Daily Worker and member of the Communist Party national committee.

Weber has been connected with some 70 Communist fronts and causes. The Communist magazine Masses and Mainstream, issue of April 1949, contained an article on Weber praising him as follows:

Weber grew up an artist in the atmosphere of quest and revolt . . . Weber sought an answer to the anarchy of capitalist society in the controlled order of formal manipulation.

Through the depression years of the thirties, Weber took an active and leading part in the struggles of artists. And at this time his work . . . reflects the social scene through the inclusion of new thematic material in such paintings as "At the MHI," "The Builder," and "Refugees."

His passionate social awareness makes him constantly affirm his alliance with those who have begun to break through.

In passing, Mr. Speaker, permit me to quote certain appraisals made by art critics of the work of Max Weber. These appraisals are taken from a publication copyrighted by the Whitney Museum of American Art in 1949:

Their ugliness is appalling.

No one is going to believe that nature alone ever made anybody as bad an artist as all this. Such grotesquerie could only be acquired by long and perverse practice.

Here are travesties of the human form, here are forms that have no justification in nature, but that seem for all the world like the emanation of someone not in his right mind, such as one might expect from the inmate of a lunatic asylum. . . . It is difficult to write of these atrocities with moderation, for they are positively an insult to ordinary intelligence.

A brutal, vulgar and unnecessary display of art license.

Philip Evergood, another artist whose work will be displayed in the exhibit, has been connected with over 75 Communist fronts and causes, has contributed articles to the Communist Daily Worker and has been a staff writer for the west coast Communist Party newspaper, the People's World.

Evergood is one of the many artists in this group who sponsored or took an active part in the notorious Communist initiated Cultural and Scientific Conference for World Peace held in New York City in March 1949, and frequently referred to as the Waldorf conference.

Evergood was a panel speaker at this conference. His subject was "The Artist as Interpreter of His Age." Addressing the numerous Communists and fellow travelers who took part in this gathering, he said:

The tools of the artist may vary, his philosophy may change, but the substance of his art, if it is to live, is always the reflection of his time. Today the artist is living in the most complex of societies. How can today's artist cope with and express the chaotic state of the world in which he lives? The artist must enter the struggle for peace like the people who are for peace and the continued growth of their kind, because to quote Paul Robeson, "The people are engaged in a struggle for peace."

... worm-rotted shells whose stench of putrefaction permeates our contemporary mental atmosphere will disintegrate and disappear like the nightmare they are.

Entering the struggle for peace himself, Evergood did a charcoal drawing of a "Dove of Peace" for an art exhibition staged in 1951 by the New York branch of the National Council of Arts, Sciences, and Professions, the Communist Party's cultural front. It was at this time that Moscow's Stockholm peace appeal was being circulated throughout this country and the Communist artist Picasso's peace dove had become the symbol of the Kremlin's hypocritical peace drive.

The art exhibition the USIA is sending to Moscow is supposed to portray—and help the enslaved people of the Soviet Union appreciate—the art and culture of the United States. The theory behind the exhibit is that it is an exhibition of the art of freemen. It appears that we are sending the so-called art of men who have prostituted whatever talents they possess to the foulest conspiracy in the history of man. I ask you, "can anyone claim—and the USIA claim—that these men really represent American culture?"

It is repulsive to me that a U.S. Government agency should glorify so-called artists who stand for nothing that this country represents and for everything it is opposed to, men who stand for, promote, and defend Communist slavery, mass murder, and destruction of freedom; men who, by their actions and statements over the course of many years, have proclaimed themselves the enemies of the United States.

I also wish to state my objection to what is implied by the backgrounds of the artists the USIA has selected to represent this country in Moscow; namely, that of all the painters and sculptors in the United States, one-third of them are either Communists, conscious and deliberate fellow-travelers, or dupes of the Communist conspiracy.

I am cognizant, Mr. Speaker, of the "liberal" line proclaiming the intrinsic esthetic value of "art for art's sake," irrespective of the background or design of the artist and that somehow by displaying in Moscow, at U.S. taxpayer's expense, the art work of American Communists and Communist-fronters, Khrushchev and his gang of international outlaws will cease being Communists dedicated to world revolution. In my judgment, this is plain poppycock.

How long is it going to be, Mr. Speaker, before it is recognized that the Communist conspiracy is at total war with the free world? It is a war of intrigue, subversion and force. It is above all, a war in which the Communist conspiracy is irrevocably dedicated. If our method of fighting communism is to display in Moscow art works of American Communists and Communist fronters our cause is lost.

I cannot believe that the overwhelming majority of the patriotic American citizens will stomach this nonsense.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT *AMB*

DATE: JUNE 17, 1959

FROM : G. H. SCATTERDAY *hro*SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA)
REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

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Memorandum from DeLoach to Mr. Tolson, dated 6/10/59, indicated that Dick Arens of HCUA submitted a list of 21 names of painters and sculpturers and asked whether the Bureau would be able to assist them by checking these names and furnishing any information pertinent to placing any of these individuals in the Communist Party (CP), either present or past membership.

A review of Bureau files has been made, limiting the review to information which would indicate present or past membership in the CP. In line with this request, there are attached four memoranda suitable for dissemination concerning Philip Evergood, Minna Harkavy, John Sloan, and Raphael Soyer.

There is no indication in our files of CP membership, present or past, on the part of the other individuals listed as follows:

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[Redacted]
Jo Davidson

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Jack Levine

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Isamu Noguchi

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Ben Shahn

In the referenced memorandum, Mr. DeLoach indicated that the Committee had asked the Bureau if we would be able to advise them of any painters or sculpturers who has ever been definitely a Party member and who has actually been "broken" to divulge his activities. In accordance with this request, a check has been made with the appropriate supervisors in the Domestic Intelligence Division as to any knowledge of an individual falling within this category. None of the supervisors could recall any such individual. Therefore, in the absence of such information, there is no basis on which to make a file review in compliance with this request.

ACTION: ENCLOSURE

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That this memorandum be referred to Mr. DeLoach for appropriate handling.

memo Edwards to DeLoach 6/19/59
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Enclosures (4)

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1 - Mr. Belmont

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June 17, 1959

PHILIP EVERGOOD

Louis F. Budenz, former managing editor of the "Daily Worker," and a Communist Party functionary until he broke with the Party in October, 1945, advised that Evergood was a communist in the early 1940's. He said that Evergood joined the sponsoring committee for the "Daily Worker" making a special appeal for the paper in 1945. (100-370961 ser 2)

NOTE: Budenz has testified publicly on numerous occasions and although there is indication that he may refuse for the HCUA, the information is set forth for their information.

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June 17, 1959

MINNA R. HARKAVY

Maurice Malkin, a former WPA counselor, who was a member of the Communist Party until the middle of 1939, and closely affiliated with the Communist Party until October, 1939, advised that Minna Harkavy, a Works Progress Administration employee, was known by him to have been a member of the Artists Fraction of the Communist Party and further that he had seen Minna Harkavy attend Communist Party meetings as late as October, 1939.

As of April, 1959, Maurice Malkin resided at Acapulco 49, Mexico, D. F. It is understood that he also maintains a residence at 2345 Ocean Drive, Brooklyn, New York. (100-107501; 100-356713 ser 27)

NOTE: Maurice Malkin has furnished information to the Bureau concerning communist matters but he has not been utilized as a Bureau informant. He has acted as a consultant and has testified on security matters for the Immigration and Natrualization Service.

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(6) (Enclosure to memorandum Scatterday to Belmont, HCUA Request for Information, dated 6/17/59, JWB:rlk)

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June 17, 1959

JOHN SLOAN

Louis F. Budenz, former managing editor of the "Daily Worker," and a Communist Party functionary until he broke with the Party in October, 1945, advised in 1951, that John Sloan was known to him as a communist from about 1943 on. Sloan was associated with at least a half dozen communist front organizations. Budenz indicated that at one point, around the Trotskyite Bucharinist trials, Sloan was at sharp variance with the Communist Party, but this variance was remedied in the 1940's. (100-382624 ser 1)

NOTE: Budenz has testified publicly on numerous occasions and although there is indication that he may refuse for the HCUA, the information is set forth for their information.

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(6) (Enclosure to memorandum Scatterday to Belmont, HCUA Request for Information, dated 6/18/59, JWB:rlk)

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June 17, 1959

RAPHAEL SOYER

An individual whose reliability is unknown, but who is in a position to know Raphael Soyer's activities, stated on December 31, 1948, that Soyer was one of the better known communists who resided at 526 West 111 Street, New York, New York.

Another individual whose reliability has not been tested, advised in March, 1951, that Raphael Soyer was known to him as a communist between 1936 and 1939. This individual stated that he knew him to be a communist because of attendance at Communist Party meetings and because of his admittance to membership in the Communist Party. (100-397825 ser 1)

NOTE: The informants in this case are respectively, [redacted] building at 526 West 111 Street, New York, New York, and [redacted] New York, New York. Both individuals requested that their identities be kept concealed.

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61-7582-4187 ENCLOSURE

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT

DATE: June 22, 1959

FROM : MR. G. H. SCATTERDAY

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

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Pursuant to attached memorandum of 6-19-59 captioned as above from Mr. Edwards to Mr. DeLoach, the following addresses as requested therein are set forth.

Philip Evergood: "Who's Who" 1958-59 shows home address as Oxford, Connecticut (RFD #2, Southbury)

Bufile in 1959 shows his address as Halls Hill Road, Southbury, Connecticut. (100-370961)

Minna R. Harkavy: Bufile shows her address as 2109 Broadway, New York, New York, as of 1952, which is the last address shown. (100-107501)

John Sloan: ~~Deceased~~ ^{U.S.} Bufile shows Sloan died September 8, 1951. (100-382624)

Raphael Soyer: "Who's Who" 1958-59 shows his home address as 526 11th Street, New York City; his office as 1947 Broadway, New York City.

Bufile shows January, 1959, address as 410 Central Park West, New York City. This file further indicates that Soyer and his wife intended to depart from New York City on 6-3-59 for a tour abroad. (100-397825)

Jack Levine: "Who's Who" 1958-59 shows his home address as 257 Humboldt Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts.

Last address shown in Bufile was in 1955 when he resided at 160 West 95th Street, New York City. (100-415447)

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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Belmont
1 - Name Check Section

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Memorandum to Mr. Belmont
RE: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
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Ben Shahn:

"Who's Who" 1958-59 shows his home as
Roosevelt, New Jersey.

Bufile indicates his street address as
73 Tamara Drive, Roosevelt, New Jersey.
(100-382216)

In response to the request in referenced memorandum, in view of the expeditious nature thereof, the file review was limited to main files only. Otherwise, it would have necessitated a complete re-review of all references which were reviewed last week.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be forwarded to Inspector Edwards for appropriate handling.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. DELOACH *DR*

DATE: June 19, 1959

FROM : H. L. EDWARDS *HL*SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

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Referring to the memorandum from Mr. Scatterday to Mr. Belmont dated June 17, 1959, on June 19, 1959, Edwards furnished Don Appel of the HCUA committee with the blind memoranda on the four individuals named herein and advised Appel that we had no pertinent information concerning the remaining names listed.

Later in the afternoon, Appel called Edwards and said he had discussed this matter with Dick Arens and they are desirous of proceeding as promptly as possible to issue subpoenas to the four individuals (and possibly two others). They are going to bring them into Executive Session first and depending on whether they take the Fifth Amendment in Executive Session they will decide where to go from there.

Consequently, Appel asked if we could possibly furnish him by Monday, June 22, 1959, with the current addresses on the following six names: Philip Evergood, Minna Harkavy, John Sloan, Raphael Soyer, Jack Levine and Ben Shahn.

Appel felt we would have no trouble in identifying these last two named individuals for the purpose of getting the current addresses.

RECOMMENDATION:

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That this memorandum be referred to the Name Check Section of the Domestic Intelligence Division for attaining these addresses.

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December 31, 1958

MR. TOLSON:

RE: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON
UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA)

DeLoach stopped in to see [redacted] the HCUA, this morning. The HCUA is putting out a new pamphlet entitled "Patterns of Communist Espionage" slated for release to the press as of January 5, 1959. They are giving this pamphlet a tremendous build-up. Fulton Lewis, Jr., is to have a radio interview with [redacted] on Monday, January 5, 1959. The report quotes Mr. Hoover in a number of places, particularly with regards to the various testimony the Director has given on the Hill.

[redacted] has given us his dummy proof of the report in question inasmuch as the Government Printing Office has not returned copies of the pamphlet yet for distribution.

[redacted] mentioned in confidence that [redacted] Drew Pearson's [redacted] had "jumped the gun" by writing a column concerning the report. [redacted] is to have another column on this report as of tomorrow, January 1, 1959. [redacted] was considerably disturbed over this matter inasmuch as the pamphlets in question have not even been received from the Government Printing Office and have not been disseminated to anyone. He immediately initiated an inquiry to determine where the "leak" had occurred. He mentioned that he had discovered very quickly who had violated the confidence of the HCUA. It seems that [redacted] of the Chicago Tribune was employed on a contractual basis to come in and write the press release for the HCUA regarding this pamphlet.

[redacted] did an excellent job; however, [redacted] has learned that [redacted] shares a desk with the reporter who is ghost writing [redacted] column while [redacted] states that he has proof that [redacted] turned over the report on a confidential basis to the man who is handling [redacted] column. [redacted] is in somewhat of a quandary inasmuch as [redacted] has always been highly trusted and is supposedly a close ally of the HCUA.

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In view of the HCUA report in question having the possibility of receiving wide public attention, it is suggested that the Domestic Intelligence Division analyze this report for any interest to the FBI. This should be done prior to the release of the report on January 5, 1959.

Respectfully,

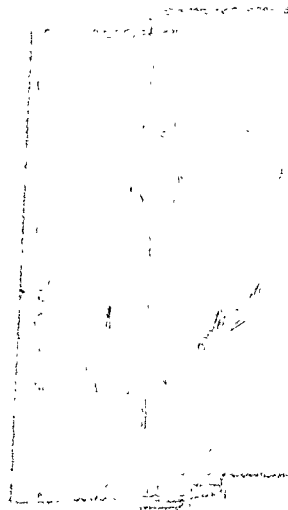
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on memo's of persons identified
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TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT **ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED** Date: January 2, 1959FROM : MR. W. A. BRANIGAN **HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED**

DATE 3/8/82 BY SP6 BJA

SUBJECT: REVIEW OF HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
REPORT ENTITLED "PATTERNS OF COMMUNIST ESPIONAGE"

Mr. Tolson _____
 Mr. Belmont _____
 Mr. Mohr _____
 Mr. Nease _____
 Mr. Parsons _____
 Mr. Rosen _____
 Mr. Tamm _____
 Mr. Trotter _____
 Mr. W.C. Sullivan _____
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 Mr. Holloman _____
 Miss Gandy _____

Memorandum from Mr. Nease to Mr. Tolson captioned "House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA)" dated 12-31-58 suggested we analyze captioned report which is scheduled for publication 1-5-59. This report has been reviewed and was found to contain nothing new which would be of assistance to our investigations. It was also found to contain nothing critical of the Bureau. On the contrary, the report quotes the Director in a complimentary manner and ends with a plea to American citizens to report to the Bureau approaches made to them by Iron Curtain agents and all information concerning espionage or attempted espionage.

The basic theme of this report is to establish that Soviet-bloc espionage continues and gives the lie to Soviet peace propaganda. To prove this, it quotes from the Director, General Trudeau and very extensively from Soviet defectors. It cites recent publicized cases in the U.S., such as the Soble and Abel cases and similar publicized cases in eight foreign countries. It also cites twelve instances of attempts to recruit Americans. Two of these have been identified with information in our files. Definite identity of the others has not been made (it is noted that the report indicates that the names of the persons and the facts have been altered to protect these persons). In addition, the report quotes the Director and extensively from Soviet defectors to show that Soviet-Bloc official establishments are used for Soviet espionage operations. A number of cases involving Soviet-bloc officials who have been publicly declared persona non grata or otherwise cited as intelligence agents are briefly reviewed.

The report also describes action taken by the Soviets against U.S. personnel in Russia such as using servants to spy on them, concealing microphones and wire-tapping devices to cover them, surveilling them when they leave the U.S. Embassy, and attempting to compromise them through the use of attractive women. The report compares the number of Soviet officials in the U.S. with the number of American officials in Russia showing that there are more than five times as many Russians in this country as Americans in Russia. It points out that while the Soviets do not employ Americans in their establishments, U.S. establishments employ Iron Curtain personnel which actually outnumber U.S. personnel behind the Iron Curtain. The report urges that a study be made of U.S. laws, regulations and policies regarding admission of persons into the U.S. of diplomatic and semidiplomatic status, the acts

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which constitute grounds for revoking such status, and the employment of nationals of communist nations in U.S. diplomatic establishments abroad. It also suggests study concerning the development and use by the U.S. of techniques for learning the identity of communist agents; however, just what is meant by this is not clear. The report also recommends that carefully consideration be given to the development of an effective defector program.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. A number of minor inaccuracies are noted in the attached detailed analysis. It is recommended that Mr. DeLoach call these inaccuracies to the attention of Chief Counsel for the HCUA.

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2. It is recommended that Mr. DeLoach also ascertain the true names of the individuals mentioned in the case write-ups on pages 13 through 21. We have not been able to identify these cases in our files.

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3. It is recommended that Mr. DeLoach ascertain how the HCUA obtained the information concerning [redacted] referred to on pages 43 and 44. (This information was developed through Bureau investigation and disseminated to State, CIA and the Internal Security Division of the Department under a "Confidential" classification, and our files do not indicate how it came into the possession of the HCUA.)

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4. It is also recommended that Mr. DeLoach ascertain just what the committee had in mind by suggesting study of regulations and policies dealing with the development and use of techniques for learning the identity of communist agents. This suggestion is made on page 81 of the report.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

January 2, 1959

"PATTERNS OF COMMUNIST ESPIONAGE"
Report by the House Committee on
Un-American Activities, January, 1959

A publication of the House Committee on Un-American Activities scheduled to be released on January 1959, which is captioned as above has been reviewed. The following summarizes this publication, calls attention to certain inaccuracies, and makes recommendations for action in connection therewith.

Chapter I Complacency - A Grave Danger

This chapter starts out with a quote from a speech by a Soviet official in 1930 which indicated that the Soviets would "smash" the capitalists by first beginning a spectacular peace movement followed by an attack. Thereafter, it reflects that the Kremlin's spy activities in the United States belie the current peace declarations of the Soviet Premier Khrushchev and his henchmen. The Director; Lieutenant General Arthur G. Trudeau, Chief of Research and Development for the Department of the Army; William F. Tompkins, former head of the Internal Security Division of the Department; and his first assistant J. Walter Yeagley, are quoted to show that espionage has continued in the United States. The Director is also quoted as warning against complacency. This chapter then reviews newspaper items during the period 1954-58 concerning espionage cases which have been publicized in eight foreign countries as well as in the United States. A short write-up is given to the following espionage cases in this country:

Jack and Myra Soble (who pleaded guilty to espionage in April, 1957), Jacob Albam (who pleaded guilty to espionage in April, 1957), George and Jane Zlatovski (indicted for espionage July, 1957), Alfred and Martha Stern (indicted for espionage September, 1957), Mark Zborowski (convicted of perjury November, 1958), Rudolf Abel (convicted for espionage November, 1957), and Sergeant Roy A. Rhodes (connected with the Abel case - convicted by court-martial for conspiring to deliver information to the Soviet Union). It is pointed out that these cases reflect the continuing pattern of Soviet espionage.

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Chapter II Target - The United States

This chapter begins with a quote from the report of the Australian Royal Commission on Espionage, August 22, 1955, which indicates that espionage is aimed at every facet of national life. It is then pointed out that the head of the Internal Security Division of the Department of Justice, testified before the House Appropriations Committee in 1956 that in the preceding year and a half the FBI had turned over 481 cases of espionage to the Department. Thereafter, it is pointed out that many spies are never exposed because of diplomatic status or the difficulty of securing admissible evidence or for counterintelligence purposes to keep them under observation. It is stated that the number of espionage agents uncovered and prosecuted is not a true indication of the extent of espionage operations. Thereafter, 12 cases are cited to reflect continuing espionage efforts on the part of Soviet-bloc countries. It is pointed out that the names of the persons involved and certain of the details in these cases have been altered for protection of the parties concerned. Four of these cases relate to attempts to recruit Americans traveling behind the Iron Curtain. Six relate to approaches in the United States, one of which was after an American had returned from travel behind the Iron Curtain. One relates to approaches to a relative of an American who was corresponding with the American.

Another case relates to Soviet attempts to recruit an employee of the United States Embassy in Vienna, Austria. This case and one of the other cases have been identified with information in our files; however, the facts in the other cases appear to have been altered so that they cannot be definitely identified with cases known to us.

Chapter III Testimony of Those Who Know

This chapter begins with a quote from the Director's testimony before the Senate Appropriations Committee in 1950 which indicated that foreign espionage agents conceal

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themselves under the cloak of diplomatic immunity. Thereafter, the testimony and/or publications of 11 Soviet or satellite defectors is set forth to illustrate that the Soviet-bloc countries make extensive use of their diplomatic, trade and other establishments and delegations in foreign countries to commit espionage.

Chapter IV Moscow's Record in the United States

This chapter begins with a quote from "Masters of Deceit" which indicated that the establishment of Amtorg Trading Corporation in 1924 gave the Soviets their first "legal" base for espionage operations and recognition of the Soviet Union in 1933 enabled them to operate under diplomatic immunity. Thereafter, the chapter contains write-ups pertaining to 24 Soviet-bloc individuals who have been in the United States and have been identified as intelligence agents. It was indicated that 14 of these had been declared persona non grata by the State Department. It is indicated that additional cases and evidence could be cited to show that the communist diplomats who come to this country are engaged in activities beyond their diplomatic functions.

Chapter V In the Shadow of the Kremlin

This chapter begins with a quote from Lieutenant General Trudeau indicating that the Soviets use all possible techniques to recruit spies. It is pointed out that the Kremlin tries to place the United States in an equally embarrassing position when any of the Kremlin spies are caught. This is done by falsely charging American diplomats with spying in the Soviet Union and/or expelling them. Considerable space is given to Soviet action against United States personnel stationed in Russia. It is pointed out that the Soviets make extensive use of servants to collect data and report on United States personnel. They also make extensive use of concealed microphones and wire-tapping devices. They constantly follow United States personnel whenever they leave the American Embassy and cite as the basis that they must give "protection." They use women to help subvert Americans. The case of Army Sergeant

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Roy Rhodes is cited as an example. Rhodes testified that he had been blackmailed to furnish the Russians information as a result of his indiscretions with a Russian girl who claimed to have become pregnant by him. It is pointed out that some of the maids assigned to United States facilities in Moscow look more like contestants in a "Miss USSR" contest than house servants. The case of Annabelle Bucar who defected from the United States Embassy in Moscow in 1948 was cited as an example of the Kremlin's use of physical attraction to recruit Americans. Bucar left the Embassy to marry a tenor in the Moscow opera and it is pointed out that she undoubtedly furnished the Russians with valuable information.

This chapter for the most part is based upon quotes from individuals who have been in Moscow including Roy Essoym, Associated Press correspondent, Vice Admiral Leslie C. Stevens, former United States Naval Attache in Moscow and a former Hungarian diplomat who was stationed in Moscow. It also quotes Boris Morros and Vladimir Petrov (defector in Australia) as stating that the Soviets use sex to subvert and compromise Westerners.

Chapter VI The Personnel Odds in Moscow's Favor

This chapter begins with a quote from Victor A. Kravchenko to the effect that 90 per cent of Soviet citizens in Washington were members of the Communist Party. Thereafter, it points out that there are more than five times as many Soviets in the United States as Americans in Moscow. It is noted that this is largely due to the fact that we permit the Soviet Union to bring domestic servants and all other employees to this country, whereas we employ Iron Curtain nationals in the Iron Curtain countries for assistance. It is pointed out that such nationals outnumber United States personnel assigned to our embassies. It is indicated that one reason for employing these people is the difficulty in securing housing for United States personnel and the high cost of employing United States personnel in these countries.

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Chapter VII MVD Agents - Potential Allies of the United States

This chapter begins with a quote from Igor Gouzenko who defected to Canada in 1945 which indicated that many Russian officials yearn for an opportunity to defect. Thereafter, other Soviet defectors are quoted as to the need for a sound defection program which would give wavering Soviet agents the encouragement they need to defect. It is concluded that this country would gain much by an effective defector program, by obtaining valuable security information, and by reducing the fear of the MVD.

Chapter VIII Conclusions and Recommendations

This chapter quotes "The New York Times" and Lieutenant General Trudeau to show that Soviet technological advances have been largely due to espionage and concludes that this Nation can be apathetic and indifferent to the Soviet spy networks only at great peril. It recommends that an exhaustive study and review be made of United States laws, regulations, and policies regarding the following:

- 1. Prerequisites to admission into the United States of persons with diplomatic or semi-diplomatic status.*
- 2. Acts which constitute grounds for revocation of diplomatic and residence status of foreign personnel.*
- 3. The development and use of techniques for learning the identity of known intelligence agents.*
- 4. The employment of Iron Curtain nationals in United States diplomatic establishments abroad.*

The Committee also recommended that careful consideration should be given to the development of an effective program to induce defections. The Committee also appealed to all citizens to immediately report to the FBI any approaches to them by Iron Curtain agents.

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Inaccuracies:

A number of inaccuracies were noted as follows:

a. On page 8 it was indicated that Alfred K. Stern and his wife were indicted on June 16, 1958, and had been subpoenaed to appear before a Grand Jury on March 14, 1958. Both of these dates are wrong. They were subpoenaed in March, 1957, and were actually indicted on September 9, 1957.

b. On page 41 it is reported that Vassili M. Molev was the paymaster for the Soble espionage ring. We never received any information indicating that he acted in this capacity although there may have been newspaper speculation from which the HCUA drew this conclusion.

c. On page 42 it is indicated that Charles Beaumet came to the Bureau when a Soviet attempted to get certain information. Actually, we interviewed Beaumet, he did not come to us.

d. On page 42 it is indicated that Anatoli Popov was recalled to the Soviet Union at the request of the State Department. This is not true. Actually, the State Department specifically advised the Bureau that it did not request his recall.

e. On page 44 it is reported that Boris Morros revealed that Vassili Zubilin approached him in the middle 1930's using the name "Melamet." This is not accurate. Morros reported that he was first approached in the middle 1930's by a Soviet named "Melamed" (not Melamet). He was later contacted by Zubilin who used the name "Herbert."

f. On page 48 it is reported that on October 31, 1949, Dr. Erwin Munk of the Czechoslovakian Embassy was declared persona non grata and at the same time Teo Florin, Dr. and Mrs. Syrovatka and a clerk named Horvat were declared undesirable and asked to leave the country. It was reported that this action was based on information received from an undercover agent of the Bureau named Joseph Molnar.

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Munk was declared persona non grata on October 31, 1949. On the same date, Jan Horvath was declared persona non grata.. This action was in retaliation for action taken against U.S. representatives in Czechoslovakia although both had been involved in espionage activities with Joseph Molnar. Dr. Evzen Syrovatka and Theodore Florin had previously been declared persona non grata on March 26, 1948, in retaliation for action taken against U.S. personnel. They too, however, had been involved in intelligence activities with Molnar.

g. On page 49 it is reported that Konstantin Nikolaevich Koudryavtsev was identified as a Soviet intelligence agent by Ismail Ege and is still a member of the Soviet Delegation to the United Nations. The individual who was identified by Ege was Sergei N. Koudriavtzev. This individual was in the United States in 1945. He returned June, 1947, as an adviser to the Soviet Delegation to the United Nations. In September, 1947, he was publicly identified as having been formerly involved in espionage activities in Canada. As a result, he was recalled to Moscow on October 10, 1947. One Konstantin Koudryavtsev was also attached to the United Nations from February 16, 1954, to July 31, 1957.

Comments:

a. Pages 13-21 set forth brief write-ups regarding ten cases concerning which the HCUA furnished fictitious names and altered the facts. We have been unable to definitely identify these with information in our files. Our files do contain information concerning the approach to Donald Ultan referred to at the bottom of page 21. Also the case referred to on page 22 of a Central Intelligence Agency employee who committed suicide refers to Nick Wallen, Bureau file 105-44034. The information set forth is substantially accurate.

b. Pages 43 and 44 contain write-ups pertaining to Viktor Zegal and Ivan Bukanov. The information set forth was obtained through Bureau investigation and was disseminated in memoranda and reports during 1954 to the State Department, the Central Intelligence Agency and the Internal Security Division of the Department. It was classified "~~Confidential~~." We have

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never declassified this information. We do not know where the HCUA got this information.

c. On page 81 the HCUA recommends study of regulations and policies concerning the development and use by the United States of techniques for learning the identity of communist agents. It is not apparent from the manner in which this is written what the committee has in mind.

d. On page 81 the committee recommends that careful consideration be given to the development of an effective defector program to induce defections. The Bureau has, of course, initiated numerous efforts to defect Soviet-bloc personnel. There have been some successful defections in the satellite field. However, we know of no induced Soviet defection. Likewise, there is little evidence to support the conclusion of former defectors that there are numerous Soviet intelligence agents who desire to defect. Analysis of past defections does not indicate that this is true. Although it might be helpful if we in our defection approaches were able to guarantee the potential defector a livelihood, definite protection, and U.S. citizenship, such guarantees would be a matter of policy to be placed into effect by other agencies of the Government.

e. This report contains no new information which would be of assistance to our investigations. It was found to contain nothing critical of the Bureau. On the contrary, it was somewhat complimentary in its references to the Director and ended with a plea for citizens to report information to the Bureau. It is believed that it is an excellent publication for public consumption.

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Recommendation:

It is recommended that Mr. DeLoach contact the Chief Counsel of the HCUA and call his attention to the inaccuracies noted above, ascertain the true names of the individuals mentioned on pages 13 through 21, determine the source for the information pertaining to Zegal and Bukanov on pages 43 and 44, and determine what the committee has in mind by the suggestion on page 81 regarding the development and use of techniques for learning the identity of communist agents.

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TO : MR. TOLSON

FROM : G. A. NEASE

SUBJECT:

REVIEW OF HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN
ACTIVITIES, REPORT ENTITLED "PATTERNS OF
COMMUNIST ESPIONAGE"

January 6, 1959

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Mr. Branigan's memorandum to Mr. Belmont dated January 2, 1959, made reference to the above-captioned report and recommended that DeLoach confer with Richard Arens, Chief Counsel for the HCUA, relative to a number of matters concerning referenced report.

On January 6, 1959, Arens was advised of the number of minor inaccuracies as noted in the detailed analysis prepared by the Domestic Intelligence Division. He was most grateful and stated that he would now be on guard in the event sources within the Communist Party (CP) or extreme liberal element attempt to cause the HCUA embarrassment as a result of these mistakes.

Arens was told that we would appreciate learning the true identities of the case write-ups on pages 13 through 21. He immediately issued instructions to Frank McNamara, a staff member, to check on this matter. McNamara will call us within the next three days.

[] was told in confidence that we desired to ascertain how the HCUA obtained information regarding [] referred to on pages 43 and 44 of the report. He referred this matter to McNamara and McNamara indicated that an official of the National Association of Home Builders, at the time Russian representatives of Home Builders were visiting in the United States, overheard remarks made by the Russian individuals and had reported this matter to the HCUA. McNamara indicated he would be willing to get further information concerning this matter if necessary.

Arens was questioned as to what the committee had in mind by suggesting a study of regulations and policies dealing with the development and use of techniques for learning the identities of communist agents. He explained that there is a considerable number of defectors in the United States who have knowledge of the Russian MVD. He stated that there are additionally large numbers of defectors in the western countries of the free world and that the HCUA is of the opinion that photographs of the suspected MVD agents should be shown to these defectors on an international basis so that identifications can be made.

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He was asked if he was not aware of the fact that this is a natural step that the FBI makes in conducting espionage investigations. He stated he felt certain this was true but he doubted seriously that CIA ever thought of such tactics. It is felt that Arens was more or less "daydreaming" in making the above-mentioned suggestion. It was undoubtedly done to make the report look good rather than have any substance.

ACTION:

The HCUA will be followed closely relative to ascertaining the identities of the individuals mentioned in the case write-ups on pages 13 through 21 in the report.

Office Memorandum • U. S. GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: January 9, 1959

FROM : G. A. NEASE

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SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES

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The Domestic Intelligence Division has requested that additional information be obtained from the captioned Congressional committee relative to the identities of individuals whose cases were discussed on pages 13 through 21 in the recent report on espionage activities issued by the HCUA. The cases in question did not reveal the identities of the actual subjects.

Frank McNamara advised DeLoach January 8, 1959, that the identities of these individuals are as follows:

- #12-p22 ✓ 1. Nick Clark Wallen (105-44032) *can't ident. Bufiles*
- #5-p16 ✓ 2. [redacted] (believed not to be true name) *can't ident. Bufiles*
- #4-p15 ✓ 3. John and Anna Jess - 105-37393
- #8-p19 ✓ 4. [redacted] - 105-37271
- #10-p21 ✓ 5. [redacted] 105-37032 - *can't ident. in report*
6. Rose Karasik (possibly not true name - employed by Glenn L. Martin Company) - 105-35843
7. [redacted] - 105-64712
8. Alena Herben Heenan - 105-46289 - 105-56079 - *can't ident. in report*
9. Thomas R. Supe (this subject employed by a travel agency and resides 346 Merchant Street, Ambridge, Pennsylvania) 105-27881 - *can't ident. in report*

ACTION:

It is suggested that this memorandum be forwarded to the Domestic Intelligence Division for information.

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TO : Mr. A. H. Belmont 1 - Mr. Belmont DATE: February 18, 1959
1 - Mr. Brannigan
1 - Mr. DeLoach
FROM : Mr. W. A. Brannigan 1 - Mr. Turner
SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
REPORT ENTITLED "PATTERNS OF COMMUNIST ESPIONAGE"

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On January 5, 1959, the House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA) published an 81-page report entitled "Patterns of Communist Espionage." On pages 13-23, inclusive, of this report, there are brief summaries of 12 cases of Soviet-bloc recruitment or attempted recruitment of individuals for intelligence activities. The individual approached is named in only one case (Number 11 on page 21 - [redacted]). It was indicated that the names in the other cases were fictitious and that the facts had been altered to protect the identities of the individuals concerned.

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After this report was published, Mr. DeLoach contacted Frank McNamara on January 8, 1959, to obtain the identities of the individuals involved in these cases. Memorandum from G. A. Nease to Mr. Tolson dated January 9, 1959, set forth the names of individuals allegedly involved in ten of these cases. However, the names in two instances were said to be not the true names. We have reviewed our files concerning the individuals named in Mr. Nease's memorandum, and have identified all of them in the Bureau files except the two whose true names were not given. Of the eight others, we have identified five with the case summaries contained in the HCUA report. The facts in the case summaries do not appear to fit the other cases, namely [redacted] Alena Herben Heenan, and Thomas R. Supe.

RECOMMENDATION:

Inasmuch as only 5 Bureau cases have been identified with cases summarized in the HCUA report (besides the [redacted] case), it is recommended that Mr. DeLoach contact the HCUA to obtain additional information in order that we can identify all of these cases. In this connection, it is noted that five of the six unidentified cases relate to contacts of Soviet-bloc officials in the U.S., one of whom was recruited as a courier and another involved an attempted recruitment. The 6th case involves an individual who gave information to the Soviet-bloc countries while he was traveling in that country. For the [redacted] (U)

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Memorandum to Mr. Belmont

Re: House Committee on Un-American Activities

Report Entitled "Patterns of Communist Espionage"

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assistance of Mr. DeLoach, there is attached a memorandum which sets forth a listing of the cases which we have not been able to identify in our files. Also attached for information is a listing of the cases which we have identified. It is noted that the HCUA report summaries of these cases do not compromise any Bureau investigations. ~~(U)~~

ED *DeLoach* *[Signature]* ✓ *[Signature]*
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February 18, 1959

HCUA REPORT ("PATTERNS OF COMMUNIST ESPIONAGE")

The following cases have been identified:

- (1) "The Fly the Spider Did Not Catch" - page 15. This possibly relates to [redacted] Bufile 105-37271; however, the facts have been altered considerably. The HCUA report does not compromise any Bureau cases.
- (2) "A Hushed Voice" - page 16. This may refer to Anna Jess, Bufile 105-37393; however, the facts have been considerably altered. This case is closed and the HCUA report does not compromise any Bureau investigation.
- (3) "Visit the U. S. S. R., You'll have a Wonderful Time" - page 19. This may refer to Walter ~~N~~usson, Bufile 100-35843. If so, however, the facts have been completely altered. ~~N~~usson is a mental case, and the HCUA report does not compromise any Bureau investigation.
- (4) "A Plea from the Secret Police" - page 21. This may refer to [redacted] Bufile 65-64712. If so, the facts have been altered. The HCUA report does not compromise any Bureau investigation.
- (5) "We Will Buy It from You Wholesale" - page 21. This relates to [redacted], an employee of the U. S. Embassy in Austria, who was approached in the Fall of 1958, in Austria by Soviet agents who attempted to recruit him. This matter received considerable publicity in November, 1958.
- (6) "Caught in a Web of Circumstance" - page 22. This relates to [redacted] Bufile 105-44032. This case has received considerable publicity and the HCUA report does not compromise any Bureau investigation.

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TO : Mr. DeLoach *ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 6/17/81 BY SP6BJS/AR* DATE 6-9-59

FROM : H. L. Edwards

SUBJECT: HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES
REPORT ENTITLED "PATTERNS OF COMMUNIST ESPIONAGE"

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On 6-8-59 Frank McNamara of the HCUA staff telephoned Edwards to furnish additional information in an effort to identify the remaining six cases referred to in memorandum of 2-18-59 from the Domestic Intelligence Division. This, as you know, concerns a matter which we have been endeavoring to completely clear up with the HCUA. Edwards had spoken to McNamara concerning it on Friday 6-5-59 and McNamara stated that he would have to refresh his recollection by reviewing the background of the cases cited in the report.

The information furnished by McNamara is as follows:

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1. The subject of the case reported under the title "What Thaw" on page 18, according to McNamara, is in fact Alena Herben Heenan. McNamara stated that all he can say is that this case conforms to the basic facts regarding Heenan as they know it. He said the country referred to is Czechoslovakia. He said they altered the facts, of course, and the correct year that she visited Czechoslovakia is 1955; that she went with her son and that the residence in this country is Oklahoma City.

2. The subject of the case reported under the title of "Unwitting Courier" page 14 of the report is the baker, [REDACTED] McNamara stated that it will be recalled they believed the name given them was not the correct name and in fact they don't know the true name. He did state, however, that the correct facts are that the subject is a baker, has five children, the oldest is a nun and he believes that Boston is the area where the subject resides.

3. The subject of the case reported under the title "Reciprocation" on page 17 is Rose Karasik. McNamara stated her parents are United States born. The grandparents were born in Czechoslovakia and still live there. She was and still may be employed at the Glenn L. Martin Company in Maryland. Here again, McNamara stated they feel this is not the subject's true name but the facts may enable the Bureau to identify the subject.

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4. The case reported under the title "Spying - for the Family" on page 20 of the report refers to [REDACTED] McNamara stated that the facts were changed

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because in reality the husband was not killed in World War II and the individual referred to as the brother is in effect the husband, that actually he entered this country. The European country involved is Rumania.

This leaves two cases unidentified. Concerning these McNamara stated that he cannot find the Thomas R. Supe folder and feels that perhaps one of the investigators is temporarily using it. He will check on this and also conduct additional research to try to clear up the sixth case. He said he will follow through on these promptly because he realizes we wish to get this matter cleared up at the earliest possible time.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this matter be referred to the Domestic Intelligence Division for any further research desired by them to see whether the additional information given by McNamara enables them to confirm the identity of the four cases. Edwards will follow through with McNamara regarding the remaining two cases.

Dr